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on the cover: Anne Walker Fitzgerald, first editor of *Kentucky Ancestors*, died on December 21, 2005, in Erlanger, Kenton County. A graduate of today’s Vanderbilt University and *Ancestors* editor from 1965-83, Mrs. Fitzgerald saved, organized, and documented vast amounts of genealogical information in original records over more than a half century. Especially devoted to her adopted Boone County, Mrs. Fitzgerald posed at the Burlington gravesite of Gabriel Tandy (b. 1797, Bourbon County, d. 26 September 1836) in a photograph probably taken in the 1990s.

Benjamin F. Lofland, Horatio T. Lofland Jr., and John B. Williams: Loyalists in Confederate Territory

By Roger H. Futrell

The Civil War affected life in Kentucky in many profound and far-reaching ways. This was especially true for those whose choice in the conflict went against the sentiments of their neighbors.

My initial research for this article focused on Civil War soldiers and brothers Benjamin F. and Horatio T. Lofland of Todd County and the war's impact on Ben's widow, Emlie. But as the story developed, the article took a twist and actually became a snapshot of Emlie Ann E. Campbell of Logan County and her husbands, Benjamin F. Lofland and John B. Williams, both Union cavalymen.

Ben and Horatio Lofland grew up in southern Todd County near the Logan County border and the Kentucky-Tennessee state line, amid plantations and slave holders. Culturally, the area bore a strong resemblance to the Deep South. Southern Todd County and neighboring Logan County were known for their rich farmlands and were often compared to Kentucky's Bluegrass region.

Even today, many southern Todd County residents consider themselves Dixiecrats. Pulitzer Prize winner Tony Horwitz featured the area in his critically acclaimed book, *Confederates in the Attic: Dispatches from the Unfinished Civil War*. The 1998 work takes the reader through a South where the Civil War is still being fought and, according to the author, Todd County is no exception.

Though their mother was a slaveholder and their neighbors were staunch Confederate sympathizers, the Lofland brothers defied the thinking of the community and the times and aligned themselves with the Union.

I and several of my cousins frequently played in the old, overgrown Lofland burying ground when visiting their grandparents near Allensville, in Todd County, in the late 1940s and 1950s. Most of the graves in the family plot were simply marked with fieldstones, but I distinctly remember Ben Lofland's lichen covered tombstone. It was inscribed: "*Benjamin F. Lofland, consort of E.A.E. Lofland, died Feb. 24, 1863, age 22 years.*" The children knew little else about Ben because their elders rarely talked about him, and never discussed his military service or his widow, E.A.E. Lofland. I learned of Ben Lofland's military service years later, while researching the family's history.

'Rache' Lofland and his Family

Benjamin F. Lofland and Horatio T. Lofland Jr. were sons of Horatio T. Lofland, Sr. and Elizabeth Y. Phelps. The elder Horatio Lofland—nicknamed "Rache"—was a native of Rockingham County, Va., and a distant relative of Abraham Lincoln through the Harrison family there. He and his family were members of the Methodist Church.

Lofland was a farmer and miller, with vast land holdings along the Elk Fork Creek of Red River in southern Todd County. He and his brother, Dorman Lofland, operated Dorman's Mill on Elk Fork Creek.

Rache Lofland was killed in a milling accident in 1848 when his son Benjamin was 8 years old. He was buried on the family farm in the Lofland grave-

yard, situated in a horseshoe bend of the Elk Fork Creek. Rache and Elizabeth (Phelps) Lofland's last child, a son, was born shortly after Rache's untimely death. Elizabeth Lofland named the little boy Horatio T. Lofland Jr., but called him "Buck."

After Horatio's death, his widow, their young children, and Ned, an elderly slave, ran the farm. Rache's granddaughter, Mary (Lofland) Banton, said that Ned remained with the family after the Civil War and was buried just outside the fenced family graveyard.

The Rache Lofland homesite was situated some three miles south of Allensville and an equal distance from the village of Hadensville. The homeplace remained in the Lofland-Banton family until 1986, when it was sold to Eliza Mabry and Susan Menees.

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Today, it is located just off the Banton-Coots Road.

Benjamin F. Lofland

Benjamin F. Lofland was born in 1840. Family members called him “Ben.” By community standards, he was fairly well educated. He appeared for the first and last time on the Todd County tax assessment rolls in 1861. About the same time, he began courting Miss Emlie Ann E. Campbell of Gordonsville in southwest Logan County.

Gordonsville was a thriving community on Whippoorwill Creek, some 10 miles west of Russellville and an equal distance northeast of Allensville. George Washington’s cousin, Whiting Washington, ran a tavern there that was quite a showplace. Like so many communities, Gordonsville declined when bypassed by the railroad.

Emlie Campbell was born on 2 October 1846 at Lebanon, Wilson County, Tenn. She was the daughter of Thomas and Agnes Campbell. Emlie and her parents moved from Tennessee to Logan County in 1849, where her father operated a grocery at Gordonsville. Ben and Emlie likely met through Ben’s sister, Lucy S. Starks, who likewise lived at Gordonsville.

Benjamin F. Lofland and 15-year-old Emlie Ann E. Campbell were married at Gordonsville on 22 May 1862, by the Rev. J.C. Gilliam. They planned to call Gordonsville home, but their plans changed when Ben enlisted in the Union Army.

The majority of Logan Countians—like residents of southern Todd County—sided with the Confederacy.

In fact, Russellville hosted Kentucky’s Confederate Sovereignty Convention in November 1861. The convention’s goal was to form several Kentucky counties into a Confederate state. The convention adopted an act of secession and approved a proposed government, but the effort failed when western Kentucky came under Federal control after the fall of Fort Henry and Fort Donelson in February 1862. Russellville remained under Union occupation for the rest of the war.

Kentucky Cavalryman

Benjamin F. Lofland enrolled in Captain George W. McCullough’s “A” Company of the 8th Regiment of Kentucky Cavalry on 11 Aug 1862, at Russellville. He was mustered into active duty in Russellville on 6 September 1862 as a 5th sergeant by Captain T.E.

Noel for a period of one year. He was given a clothing allowance of \$42.14; paid a bounty of \$25; and awarded a \$2 premium for joining the army.

The 8th Regiment was made up of 1,248 men, divided into three battalions. “A” Company was in the second battalion, organized at Russellville by Lt. Col. Benjamin H. Bristow of Elkton in 1862.¹ Major Joseph M. Kennedy commanded the unit. The rank and file from the second battalion camped just north of Russellville, across from the old train depot, while Lt. Col. Bristow and his officers used Gray’s Hotel on the public square as both a hospital and headquarters in 1862-63.

Shortly after the regiment was organized, the second and third battalions participated in several skirmishes against Colonel Thomas G. Woodward’s Confederate troops. After a couple unsuccessful attempts at defeating Woodward, Major Kennedy organized a night march to overtake the Southerners. Major Kennedy and his men came upon Woodward at Camp Coleman near Allensville, in Todd County, and dispersed the rebels.

Benjamin Helm Bristow (b. 20 June 1832, Elkton, Ky., d. 22 June 1896, New York City), a son of Francis Marion Bristow and Emily Edwards Helm, was an attorney by the time he joined the Hopkinsville Guards at the outbreak of the war. Bristow helped form the 25th Kentucky Volunteer Regiment and was promoted to lieutenant colonel. He had fought at Fort Donelson and Shiloh by the time he helped organize the 8th Kentucky Cavalry. Rising to the rank of colonel, Bristow participated in the capture of Confederate raider John Hunt Morgan near West Point, Ohio, in July 1863. Bristow was elected to the Kentucky state senate that year and rose quickly in legal and political circles, becoming U.S. district attorney for Kentucky in 1866 and the first solicitor general of the United States in 1870, in which capacities he helped sustain the Civil Rights Act and argued Reconstruction cases before the U.S. Supreme Court. Bristow served as secretary of the U.S. Treasury from 1874 to 1876 and was a serious contender for the Republican nomination for president in 1876.

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During the Confederate invasion of Kentucky in the fall of 1862, "A" Company was ordered to Bowling Green, in October, where they did garrison duty and worked as scouts and guarded trains and bridges against General Bragg's Confederate forces. They guarded Union General Don Carlos Buell's wagon trains as they crossed the Green River.

In November, 1862, the company was dispatched back to Russellville and then to Hopkinsville where they spent the winter pursuing bands of Confederate guerrillas and patrolling communities west of the Nashville railroad.

When "A" Company was dispatched from Russellville to Hopkinsville in the fall of 1862, they probably set-up camp near the old Lemuel B. Morris plantation on the Russellville Road just east of Hopkinsville. Federal troops had confiscated the Lemuel Morris property and turned it into headquarters for some local Union forces. The two-story house sat between the Hopkinsville city limits to the west and Western Kentucky Asylum to the east. The location was ideal for the protection of Hopkinsville.

Following the war, the Lemuel Morris home fell on hard times. When Bernice (Banton) Futrell, Ben Lofland's great niece, bought the old Morris house in 1956 as an investment. She had no idea that her "Uncle Ben" Lofland may have camped nearby. Mrs. Futrell sold the historic home to the Faith Chapel General Baptist Church in 1961. The church razed the old house at 1714 East Seventh Street (formerly Russellville Road) and replaced it with a modern worship center.

"A" Company spent Christmas 1862, at Hopkinsville. Shortly after the holiday, the unit was hit by a typhoid epidemic. Eleven members of the company died between January and March 1863. Sergeant Benjamin F. Lofland died of typhoid fever at Hopkinsville on 24 February 1863. His body was returned to the family and he was buried in the Lofland graveyard in Todd County. The exact location of his grave site was lost when his tall, but simple headstone was accidentally destroyed in 1966.

Unit rosters show that "A" Company of the 8th Regiment of Kentucky Cavalry returned to Bowling Green a few days after Ben Lofland's death. Shortly thereafter, a contingent of the 8th Cavalry pursued General John Hunt Morgan as he crisscrossed the state on his 46 day raid through Kentucky, Indiana, and Ohio. Colonel Bristow and several units of the

8th were present when Morgan was captured near New Lisbon, Ohio, on 26 July 1863.

The regiment was mustered out of service at Russellville on 23 September 1863. Within days, most of the men enlisted in other units.

Emlie Ann E. (Campbell) Lofland, widow

Benjamin F. Lofland's 16-year-old widow Emlie remained with her family in Logan County. The Campbells lived at Gordonsville, though their mailing address was "Russellville Post Office." Emlie was pregnant at the time of Ben's death, and the couple's only child, a son, was born at Gordonsville two months after the father's death. He was named Benjamin F. Lofland.

Emlie Lofland applied for a federal widow's pension on 19 November 1863, and her claim was approved by the pension office on 13 April 1864. She received monthly payment of \$8, retroactive to the date of Ben's death. Emlie drew the survivor's benefit until she remarried in September 1866.

Horatio T. Lofland Jr.

Benjamin F. Lofland's younger brother—Horatio T. Lofland Jr.—was born in January 1849, shortly after their father's death. Family members called him "Buck."

Shortly after Horatio turned 16, he ran away from home and went to Russellville to join Colonel Samuel F. Johnson's Union Regiment. The next week his mother, Elizabeth Y. Lofland, traveled from Alleville to Bowling Green in search of him. Elizabeth apparently did not want to risk losing a second son. By the time she arrived in Bowling Green on 8 March 1865, Horatio had been sent to Louisville, where he was mustered into active duty.

While she was in Bowling Green, Elizabeth Lofland wrote her nephew James L. Lawson and begged him to go to Union headquarters and intervene on her behalf. In her plain spoken letter she asked Lawson to get Horatio's enlistment revoked so he could return home. Elizabeth stated that Horatio was a minor and that she bitterly opposed his joining the army. A notation on the back of Elizabeth's letter indicates that Horatio T. Lofland Jr. was, in fact, released from active duty and had to reimburse the military for advanced pay.²

Neither the Kentucky Department of Military Affairs nor the National Archives have enlistment or

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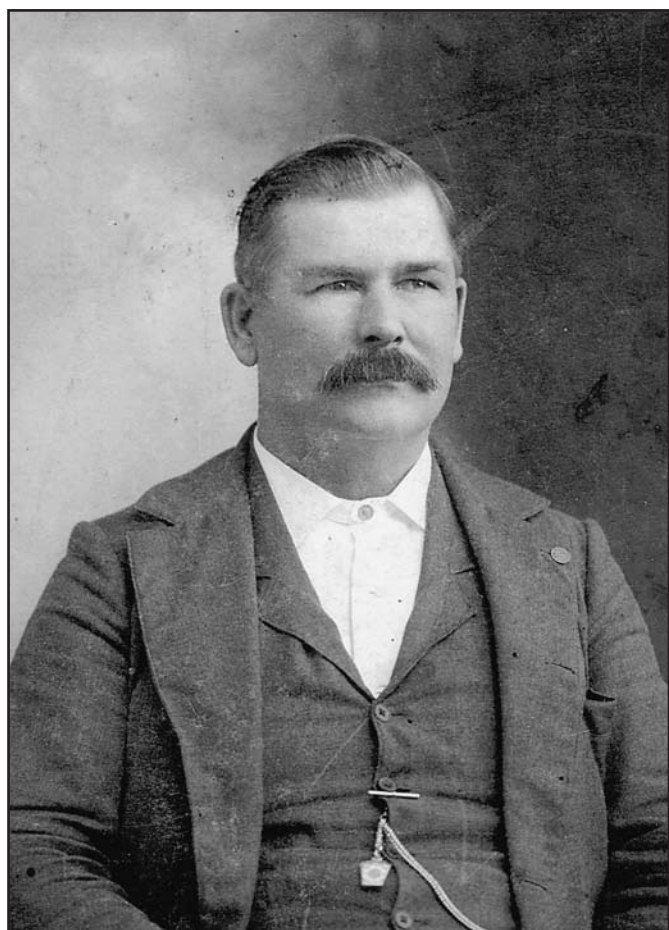
discharge records for Horatio T. Lofland Jr. Apparently, his muster papers were voided at his mother's request. But Horatio's service is verified through clothing allowance manuscripts at the Kentucky Historical Society in Frankfort. The *Kentucky Cavalry Clothing Books* reveal that "H.T. Lofland" enlisted at Russellville in "C" Company of the 17th Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry on 28 Feb 1865. He was issued clothing allotments on 28 Feb 1865 and 28 Mar 1865. The clothing ledgers give no indication of when Horatio T. Lofland Jr. actually returned home.

Horatio's commander, Colonel Samuel F. Johnson, was a well known Methodist minister in Logan County before the Civil War. But he left the pulpit shortly after the war started and accepted a commis-

sion in the Union Army. Johnson commanded the 52nd Regiment of Kentucky Infantry until it disbanded at Bowling Green in January 1865.

Shortly thereafter, Johnson was appointed commander of the newly formed 17th Regiment of Kentucky Cavalry, organized during the winter of 1864-65. The 17th spent much of its effort at Hopkinsville. Many considered Colonel Johnson an extremist, and he was known for his harsh treatment of Confederates. He returned to the active ministry after the war.

Following the Civil War, Horatio T. Lofland Jr. farmed the Lofland homeplace. He married Miss Lucy J. Shelton on 23 October 1873 in Todd County, but died of typhoid fever on 29 January 1875, at the age of 26. He was buried in the Shelton grave-



John B. Williams (1845-1915) was a childhood acquaintance of Emlie Ann E. Campbell Lofland and became her second husband on 29 September 1866 in Logan County. Williams was a sergeant in the Union 3rd Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry during the Civil War. The couple had two children. He died in Norman, Okla., where Emlie received his pension until her death.



Emlie Ann E. Campbell (1846-1928) married Benjamin F. Lofland at Gordonsville, Logan County, Ky., on 22 May 1862, when she was 15 years old. After Lofland's death during the Civil War, she married Union army veteran John B. Williams. After the death of her son Benjamin F. Lofland, the family moved to Texas and later Oklahoma, where she ever afterward referred to herself as "Annie E. Williams."

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yard near Keysburg, in Logan County, but his grave is unmarked. His son, Horatio Clay Lofland, was born eight months after the father's death.

Emlie (Campbell) Lofland & John B. Williams

Ben Lofland's widow Emlie (Campbell) Lofland married John B. Williams at Gordonsville on 29 September 1866.

The lives of Benjamin F. Lofland and Emlie (Campbell) Lofland and John B. Williams were intertwined. Emlie Campbell and John B. Williams grew up together at Gordonsville, where Ben Lofland's sister, Lucy Starks, was a neighbor. Ben frequently visited his sister in the Gordonsville community. The 1860 federal census suggests that the Campbells, the Williamses, and the Starks lived within "hollering" distance of one another.

Williams was a Logan County native, and farmed in the Gordonsville area before the Civil War. He enlisted in "D" Company of the 3rd Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry in November 1861 and rose to the rank of sergeant. In March and April 1863, he was absent from his unit "waiting on a sick soldier at Gordonsville, KY." In late April 1863, he was a nurse in an area hospital. By June 1863, he was stationed at Hopkinsville.

"D" Company of the 3rd Regiment was in Georgia by 1864, and Williams was wounded at Waynesboro, Ga., on 4 December 1864, when his horse was shot out from under him.

Williams survived and participated in General Sherman's "March to the Sea." He was in Savannah by January 1865, but the injuries he sustained at Waynesboro affected him for life. Both his eyesight and hearing were severely damaged. Williams was mustered out at Lexington, N.C., on 15 July 1865, and discharged at Louisville, Ky., on 29 July 1865. He immediately returned to Gordonsville.

Gordonsville Years

Emlie and John B. Williams obviously wanted to start life anew after the Civil War. John was disabled, but managed to farm and provide for Emlie and her infant son Benjamin Lofland. Tragedy struck, however, in Spring 1867, when Emlie was pregnant with her and John's first child.

Little Benjamin F. Lofland died shortly before his

fourth birthday. He was buried at Stevenson Chapel Methodist Church Cemetery near Gordonsville in southwest Logan County. Emlie erected a handsome tombstone for little Ben. It is inscribed: "Benjamin Lofland, 22 Apr 1863-18 Apr 1867, infant son of B.F. & E.A.E. Lofland."

Emlie and John Williams' first child, a daughter they named Leuvenia A. Williams, was born on 10 August 1867. Their second child, a son named Clarice Campbell Williams, was born on 9 Jun 1873. Both were born at Gordonsville.

Texas & Oklahoma

John and Emlie left Gordonsville in 1874 and moved West. Emlie's parents and younger brother John W. Campbell went with them. The family first settled southwest of Dallas, near Cleburne, in Johnson County, Texas. Williams initially farmed near Cleburne, but when his eyesight worsened he opened a butcher shop and traded in livestock. The couple's third and last child, Florena "Rena" Williams, was born in Cleburne on 28 February 1881.

The Williams family left Cleburne and moved to Norman, Okla.—in the heart of Indian Territory—in 1889, the year of the great land rush that opened the area to white settlement. John was postmaster at Norman in 1900, and he started drawing a veteran's pension in 1911.

After she left Logan County, Emlie Williams consistently went by the name "Annie E. Williams," perhaps changing her persona from "Emlie" as a way of establishing a new life. She probably wanted to erase the haunting memories of her first husband, Ben Lofland, and their young son, Benjamin.

John B. Williams died in Norman on 3 June 1915. "Annie" remained there. Veteran Administration records indicate that she applied for a widow's pension on John B. Williams' military service in 1915. She gave her name as "Annie E. Williams" on the application. The Pension Office cross-referenced her two pension files—"Mrs. Emlie A.E. Lofland" and "Mrs. Annie E. Williams"—when they processed her last claim. The combined files "merged" her two lives!

Annie E. Williams (1846-1928) and John B. Williams (1845-1915) were buried in the Norman IOOF Cemetery. Their graves are marked.

John and Annie's oldest child, Leuvenia, died as a young adult. Their only son, Clarice Campbell

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Williams (b. 1873) was a bookkeeper for the Great Western Sugar Co. in Ft. Collins, Colo., in 1918. By 1930, he was an accountant in Denver. Their youngest daughter, Florena "Rena" Williams (1881-1968) married Sardis Roy Hadsell (1876-1942), a Harvard graduate and professor of English at the University of Oklahoma. The university still grants academic scholarships in the Hadsells' honor. The "*Roy and Florena Hadsell Award for Excellence in Teaching*" is given to outstanding graduate English majors.

The writer located Mr. John D. Hadsell of Las Cruces, N.M., a grandson of Emlie/Annie E. (Campbell) Lofland Williams, and asked him to add to her story. Hadsell said he remembered his grandmother, but was not aware that she was previously married or that she had a child buried in Kentucky:

Even though I was seven years old when my grandmother died, I remember very little about her. I do remember that she moved with us into a new house, probably in 1924. My mother, Rena, told me once that her mother's favorite song was "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny."³ There were several 'Runs' into Indian Territory, but I believe my grandparents and their family were a little too late for the one that now includes Norman. Nevertheless my mother always said that her father traded a gold watch for some land just north of Norman. Their house in town was in the center of things. So they lived in town and never settled on the land he had "bought" for some reason. The house they built (I assume) in Norman must have been fairly "elegant" for the time. It was two stories, probably with four upstairs bedrooms [and with outside "plumbing" of course]. It was one block from Main Street, where the Post Office (at the time) would be located. It was on Sante Fe Street and just two blocks from the Sante Fe RR depot. I've wanted to show the house to my children, but the Baptists razed it to put in a parking lot several years ago. Oh yes, the Methodist Church was in the same block as the house. When Rena (the daughter of Annie Campbell Williams) married Sardis Roy Hadsell, she was in the second graduating class of the new University of Oklahoma and he was an Illinois farm boy attending the university for the first time. By teaching in the public schools, she helped him through college, then later accompanied him to Harvard, and then she and their children went with him to the University of Chicago, where he earned his PhD in 1928. He served as head of the English Department at the University of Oklahoma for several years.

When last contacted, Hadsell said that his wife and daughter were going through family papers in

search of a photograph of his grandmother, Emlie Ann E. Campbell Lofland Williams.

Notes

[Benjamin Lofland was away at war when his nephew and namesake Benjamin M. Starks was born at Gordonsville on 11 Dec 1862. Following school, Ben Starks went to work as a clerk for the Louisville & Nashville Railroad. He rose to general manager of the L&N, in 1904, and served as its CEO until his death in 1923. Ben Starks is buried in Louisville's Cave Hill Cemetery.]

[Benjamin F. Lofland and Horatio T. Lofland, Jr. were brothers of H.H. Lofland, the writer's maternal great-grandfather.]

[The writer would like to obtain a VA headstone to replace Ben Lofland's original monument, but it would be useless to place markers in the overgrown and abandoned Lofland family burying ground.]

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John Hadsell to Roger Futrell, August 2005; in possession of the author.

From Carolina to Kentucky: Andrew Colley—Farmer, Fighter, Pioneer

By Betty Butler Ravenholt

Part Two

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Author's note: For cited North and South Carolina deed records, censuses, and wills in which Andrew, Samuel, and William Colley were primary participants, I have had access to microfilm of the original documents or photocopies of the microfilm of the original documents. For all Kentucky court, marriage and land records cited I have had access to the original documents or to microfilm of the original documents. The minutes of the Spartanburg County, South Carolina, County Court prior to 1800, however, are not a part of the microfilm collection of the Family History Library [FHL], Salt Lake City, Utah. In the introduction to his Spartanburg County, South Carolina, Minutes of the County Court, 1785-1799, Brent Holcomb states that the original of more than half the pages of the first volume of these minutes is, in fact, no longer extant and those pages exist now only in the Works Progress Administration (W.P.A.) copy. I have had access to photocopies of microfilm of selected original pages of the minutes of the Spartanburg County County Court. The limited number of repositories that now hold original or microfilm copies of many early North and South Carolina records and the cost of obtaining copies (\$20/record requested from the North Carolina Office of Archives and History; \$15/record requested from the South Carolina Department of Archives and History) of the original of every referenced record have led me to use derivative sources in cases where the record was not deemed of primary importance to my principal argument. Use of derivative sources may, of course, introduce unintended transcriber error; but derivative sources have not been used in this study in instances where it appeared to me they could not be substantiated by other records or corroborated by other researchers. Researchers should always seek out the original records, when they are extant, as final verification of the accuracy of derivative sources.

William Colley. It seems likely that William Colley of York County, S.C., and Andrew Colley were brothers for the following reasons:

1. Both Andrew Colley and William Colley purchased land along Fishing Creek in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina (later York County, S.C.) during the period 1768-1770.¹
2. Andrew Colley had sons Jacob, Andrew Jr., William, and James.² William Colley had sons James, John, William, Jacob, and Peleg.³
3. William Colley and his son Jacob were hatters.⁴ Andrew Colley's sons William and Jacob were known as hatters.⁵
4. Jacob Colley, son of Andrew Colley, testified in 1818 in a deposition in Christian County, Ky., that he was a cousin of his brother-in-law William

Colley who had been killed in the service of the United States at New Orleans.⁶ It may be that this William Colley was the son named in the will of William Colley of York County. (A man who died at New Orleans in the service of the country likely died of disease in the months immediately following the Battle of New Orleans, which occurred in January 1815. Very few Americans were killed during the battle itself.⁷) However, a William Colley witnessed a deed between Jesse Boswell and Peleg Colley in York County on 25 December 1816⁸ and could have been the brother of Peleg and therefore the son William mentioned in his will.

William Colley first appears in the records currently in hand on 15 November 1770 when he purchased 300 acres lying on the south side of the

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Catawba River and on the south fork of Fishing Creek from John and Hannah Wallace.⁹ (On 2 January 1768, Andrew Colley had purchased 330 acres on the south side of Fishing Creek from Benjamin Rainey.¹⁰) This land lay first in the county of Anson in the colony of North Carolina. In 1762, however, it became a part of the newly created Mecklenburg County and in 1768 Tryon County. When the southwestern boundary between North and South Carolina was redrawn in 1772, the land fell into South Carolina and what became York County.¹¹

The land purchased by William Colley from John Wallace had been originally granted to William Moore on 8 April 1754 and was then described as being “on ye South fork of fishing Creek adjacent branches of turkie creek.”¹² Neighbors of William Colley likely included (since they lived on or near Turkey creek or made deeds witnessed by William Colley) James Hannah, William Henry, Edward Lacey, James McNabb, the Prices, John Thomas, John Fondren, John Wallace, Richard Ball, Drury Glover, Thomas Glendennon, and William Barron.¹³

The proximity of William Colley’s land to the land of Andrew Colley may be guessed at from the following records. In the April Court of 1787 for York County, S.C., William Calley[sic] and John Young, as executors of the will of Robert Robinson[sic], sued Capt. William Hannah.¹⁴ In an earlier dated memorial [statement of land ownership for tax purposes], the land of Robert Robertson[sic] was described as “fifty acres Situate as Supposed when run out to be in Tryon County, North Carolina, on the waters of fishing creek ... Originally Granted the 26th of Octr 1767 to Thos Reney[sic] & Conveyed by him to Robert Robertson the Mem’st [Memorialist] by deed of release bearing date the 15th Novr 1769, Also a plantation or tract of Land of 300 Acres of Land Situate as above in Mecklenburgh County, S. of fishing Creek, Joining & between Wm Hagarty’s & James Young’s Lines ... Granted to James Hannah the 30th of Octr 1765 and by him Conveyed to Robt Robertson by deed of release bearing date the 30th June 1766....”¹⁵ Land of James Young bounded the land of Andrew Colley¹⁶ and also, as stated above, land of Robert Robertson; and William Colley apparently lived close enough to Robert Robertson to be well known and trusted by him as one of the executors of his estate. Further, Robert “Roberson” was one of the

three witnesses to the 2 January 1768 deed by which Andrew Colley purchased his 300-acre tract on the south side of Fishing Creek.¹⁷

William Colley was a patriot. On 6 September 1784, he received from the state of South Carolina compensation of twenty-one pounds, seventeen shillings, and five pence for sundries supplied for militia use during 1779, 1780, 1781, and 1782.¹⁸ A descendant of John Colley, one of the sons of William Colley, has made successful application to the DAR on the basis of William’s service during the Revolutionary War.¹⁹

The will of William Cally[sic] was recorded in York County on 12 February 1798.²⁰ Mentioned are his wife Mary and his sons James, John, William, Jacob, and the youngest Peleg.²¹ In the 1790 census for York County, page 28, is listed the household of William Cally[sic].²² At that time, it included three free males over 16 years of age, three free males under 16 years of age, and three free white females. In addition to his five sons, then, William Colley and his wife Mary may have had at least two daughters who were not mentioned in his will.

Several interesting bits of information about William Colley can be found in his will. First, he appears to have been a hatter as well as a farmer. He left to his son Jacob “all my Hating [hatting] tools to his use and to live on the plantation as long as he pleases.”²³ Secondly, as were many of the Scots-Irish, William was a distiller. He left to his son William “my two Stills and all my Still Vessels to go to his Use and his Heirs.”²⁴ Third, his son Peleg was named as the youngest of his sons and accordingly was to receive upon his mother Mary’s death, as was the Scots-Irish custom,²⁵ the homeplace—that third part of William’s land to be used by her while she lived.²⁶

Prior to his death in York County in 1798,²⁷ William Colley’s name appeared from time to time in the court and land records of the county. Before 3 December 1777, William Colley proved in court a deed between William Barrow and Thomas Clendennon[sic] for 200 acres of land in York County.²⁸ On 22 December 1777, William Colley and John Carson witnessed the sale of land on a branch of the south fork of Turkey Creek by Drury Glover to William Barron.²⁹ John Wallace, William Colley, and Richard Ball witnessed a deed between William Barron and Philip Sandifer in York County on 22

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April 1780.³⁰ In October 1786, William Colley's name was written, then struck out, on the list of men called for duty on the Petit Jury.³¹ James Powell sued William Colley in the York County Court in April 1787³²; and in that same court session, William Colley and John Young, executors of the estate of Robert Robertson, sued Capt. William Hannah.³³

At the time of the 1800 census for York County, Mary Colley, widow of William, is recorded on page 944 as head of a household that included one male aged 10-16 (likely youngest son Peleg), one male aged 26-45 (perhaps son Jacob who was to be allowed, according to his father's will, to live on the home plantation as long as he pleased³⁴), one female aged 10-16, one female aged 45+ (Mary herself), and two slaves.³⁵

Sons of William Colley

According to the DAR application of a William Colley descendant, John Colley was born in 1789 in York County, S.C., married Elizabeth Blakely about 1808/1809, and died in Wilcox County, Ala., before the end of April 1874.³⁶ Prior to 17 September 1817—when Mary Colley in turn sold it to her youngest son Peleg—³⁷ John Colley had sold to his mother Mary the 110 acres of land on the waters of Fishing Creek that he had inherited from his father.³⁸

Peleg Colley, along with his mother Mary, was recorded as being “of Union District,” S.C., when on 14 October 1825 they together sold 114 acres on the headwaters of Fishing Creek—part of the land that had once belonged to William Colley—to Reuben McConnel of York District.³⁹

When Peleg Colley purchased 110 acres of land in York County from Jesse Boswell on 25 December 1816, a William Colley witnessed the deed.⁴⁰ This William might have been Peleg's brother and thus the same individual as William the son named in the 1798 will of William Colley. However, Jacob Colley, son of Andrew Colley, testified in 1818 in a deposition in Christian County, Ky., that he was the cousin of his brother-in-law William Colley who had been killed in the service of the United States at New Orleans.⁴¹ This William who died at New Orleans, one assumes in 1815 during/after the War of 1812, might also have been the William who was son of William Colley who died in York County in 1798.

James Colley

It is possible that a James Colley, who lived in western North/South Carolina at least during the 1770s and 1780s, was a brother of Andrew and William Colley.

The primary “clue” that suggests a possible fraternal connection between Andrew, William, and James Colley is a Rutherford County, N.C., deed dated 13 December 1787. In that deed, a James Colley sold a tract of land in Rutherford County on the west side of Main Broad River to Daniel McCluy of Spartanburg, S.C. This tract had been originally granted to Lewis Johnston on 16 October 1777 and was conveyed by him to “James Cally, Senr. thence falling to James Cally, Jnr. by Earship[*sic*] being the only son of James Cally, Senr....” This deed was witnessed by John Bigham[*sic*], Jacob Cally, and David Cally.⁴²

The southern limit of Rutherford County, N.C., (now all or parts of Henderson, Polk, Rutherford, and Cleveland Counties) at that time formed a good part of the western end of the border between North and South Carolina.⁴³ Andrew Colley lived in Spartanburg, S.C., only two miles more or less from the North Carolina state line.⁴⁴ The Broad River turns north just above the present-day eastern edge of Spartanburg County, South Carolina; so James Colley's land described as on the west side of Main Broad River would lie somewhere not too far north of the Spartanburg County, S.C. and its boundary with the state of North Carolina.

The appearance of familiar names in the 1787 James Colley deed might also be taken as an indication of some family connection between James Colley and Andrew and William Colley. A Jacob Colley was one of the witnesses to the deed.⁴⁵ Both Andrew and William Colley had sons named Jacob⁴⁶; however, it is not clear that either of those sons was old enough in 1787 to have served as a witness to a legal document.⁴⁷ Both Andrew and William Colley also had sons named James.⁴⁸

Particularly interesting is the appearance of the name of John Bigham as witness to the Colley and McCluy deed. Andrew Colley later sued John Bingham in the Spartanburg County Court and the case dragged on from at least 13 January 1797 to 15 January 1799.⁴⁹ At that time, the jury rendered its verdict in favor of Andrew Colley and awarded him 20 pounds with interest to accrue from 1783.⁵⁰ One can assume, therefore, that there had been some

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acquaintance and/or business dealing between Andrew Colley and John Bingham/Bigham by the time (1787) that John Bingham witnessed the James Colley deed.

In April 1771, “Jas. Calley” was listed as one of several garnishees in the suit of Peregrine Magness against Peter Savery in Tryon County, N.C.⁵¹ It was at this same time that the lands of Andrew and William Colley on Fishing Creek also lay in what was then Tryon County.⁵²

James Colley was a patriot. On 17 September 1784, the state of South Carolina paid him seventeen pounds sterling for 159 days militia duty during the Revolutionary War.⁵³ Both Andrew and William Colley also participated in the patriot cause according to South Carolina audited accounts.⁵⁴

The Rutherford County deed makes clear that James Colley Jr. was the only son of James Colley Sr.⁵⁵ Since James Colley Sr. had died, according to the deed, prior to December 1787,⁵⁶ it is possible that the James Colley who appears in the 1790 census for York County, S.C., is the same individual as James Colley Jr. who sold his inherited land in Rutherford County, N.C., in 1787. (All five known sons of William Colley of York County—James, John, William, Jacob, and Peleg—appear to be accounted for in William’s 1790 household⁵⁷; and Andrew Colley’s son James was just a young child in 1790.⁵⁸)

The household of James Cally at the time of the 1790 census for York County included one free male over 16 years of age, two free males under 16 years, and three free females—in other words, a household probably containing a man, his wife, and four children.⁵⁹ If this couple married when the man was of legal age (21 years or older), he would have been at least about 30 years of age in 1790 to allow time for the birth of four children.

In the 1800 census for York County, the household of a James Colley included two males under 10, two males 10-16, one male 26-45, two females under 10, one female 10-16, one female 16-26, and one female 26-45.⁶⁰ This family configuration seems consistent with the possible growth of the 1790 household, above. James Colley in the 1800 census would likely have been at least 35 years of age in order to have been the father of eight children—one of whom was at least 16 years old and three of whom were between the ages of ten and sixteen.

If he was 35 years of age or older in 1800, James Colley of the 1800 census would have been born at least by 1765. This possible birthdate for James Colley appears to make him too old to have been the son of William Colley who died in York County, South Carolina, in 1798, and his wife Mary whose son John Colley is said to have been born in 1789⁶¹ and whose youngest son Peleg⁶² would therefore have been born even later.

Cauley/Corley/Colleys

Quite a large group of “Cauleys”—also called Corley in Revolutionary War records of South Carolina⁶³—appear in the 1790 census of Edgefield County, another back country county in the Ninety-Six District of South Carolina. Among these Cauleys were John, Rufus, Zachariah, Jesse, “Volentine,” Richard, Abner, Nathaniel, Micajah, James, Catlett, and Sherwood.⁶⁴ Whether or not they have any family connection to Andrew Colley is not now known.

Other Colleys

The names of a handful of other Colley individuals appear in various colonial and early state tax, land, military, church, and court records of North and South Carolina. No information now in hand, however, links them to Andrew Colley. These early Carolina Colleys include the following:

Mainyard Colley (Colly) served during the Revolutionary War in Capt. Jacob Barnett’s Company, Col. Henry Hampton’s Regiment of Light Dragoons.⁶⁵ These men, who were part of General Sumter’s Brigade, are said to have come mostly from the northeastern part of South Carolina.⁶⁶ A Mainyard Colley, perhaps the same man, appears in the 1790 census for Rockingham County, N.C.⁶⁷

Robert Colley (Calley, Colly) entered 300 acres of land in Bladen County, N.C., on the west side of Black River, north side of Fishing Creek in February 1743/4.⁶⁸ (This was not the same Fishing Creek as that settled on by Andrew and William Colley. Bladen County, N.C., in 1740 was northwest of Wilmington and New Hanover County and south of the area that was called Cumberland County by 1760.⁶⁹) He was still living in Bladen County in September 1751.⁷⁰ In 1755, Robert Colley was listed as a taxpayer in Cumberland County, N.C.⁷¹

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John Colley (Colly, Cally) purchased 100 acres on the south side of Green River, Rutherford County, N.C., in November 1784.⁷² The same or another John Colley (Cawley) was earlier listed as a taxpayer in Bute County, N.C., in 1771.⁷³

John Colley was a member of the Quaker Wateree meeting, Kershaw County, S.C., in 1772.⁷⁴

William Colley was a member of the Quaker Wateree meeting, Fairfield County, S.C., in 1795.⁷⁵ This may be the same William “Callay who served as a petit juryman in the Camden district in 1782/3.”⁷⁶

Elisha Colley (Cawley) paid taxes in Cumberland County, N.C., in 1755.⁷⁷

George Colley (Cawley) entered 100 acres on the north side of Middle Swamp, Bladen County, N.C., in February 1772.⁷⁸

Roger Colley was issued a warrant in January 1773 for 100 acres in Dobbs County, N.C.⁷⁹

The following table illustrates the presence of Colley/Cally/Cauley/etc. households in the early censuses of South Carolina.

Samuel and James Young

The family identity of Susannah Colley, wife of Andrew, is not now known. Jacob Colley, the oldest known child of Susannah and Andrew, was born about 1775¹⁵⁴; consequently, it is not unreasonable to speculate that Susannah and Andrew might have married some time after Andrew acquired his land on Fishing Creek in 1768¹⁵⁵ and could support a family before 1775.

In the days of limited transportation, young people frequently selected their spouses from among the families of neighbors. One family whose name often appear in land and other records associated with Andrew Colley both on Fishing Creek and later on the Pacolet River in Spartanburg County is that

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<i>County or District</i>	<i>1790</i>	<i>1800</i>	<i>1810</i>	<i>1820</i>
Spartanburg, SC	Colley, Sam. ⁸⁰ Carley, Benjn., ⁸¹ Henry, ⁸² Wm. ⁸³	Colley, Samuel ⁸⁴	Calley, Samuel ⁸⁵	Colly, Samuel ⁸⁶
York, SC	Cally, Willm., ⁸⁷ James ⁸⁸	Colley, James, ⁸⁹ Mary ⁹⁰ Carley, Joseph ⁹¹ Colly, Jacob ⁹⁶	Cauley, Jacob, ⁹² Mary ⁹³ Carley, Joseph ⁹⁴	Colly, Peleg ⁹⁵
Chester, SC				
Edgefield, SC	Cauley, Jon. Jr., ⁹⁷ Zaechs., ⁹⁸ Volentine, ⁹⁹ Richd., ¹⁰⁰ Volentine, ¹⁰¹ Jon. Sr., ¹⁰² Abner, ¹⁰³ Nathn., ¹⁰⁴ Mikajah, ¹⁰⁵ James, ¹⁰⁶ Catlett, ¹⁰⁷ Sherewood ¹⁰⁸	Cauley, Abner, ¹⁰⁹ Cajah [Micaijah?], ¹¹⁰ Cattell [Catlett?], ¹¹¹ Henry, ¹¹² James ¹¹³ Jesse, ¹¹⁴ William ¹¹⁵	Corley, Abner, ¹¹⁶ Abner, ¹¹⁷ Absolem, ¹¹⁸ Benjamin, ¹¹⁹ Catlett, ¹²⁰ Elisa, ¹²¹ Henry, ¹²² Jesse, ¹²³ Mary, ¹²⁴ Michael, ¹²⁵ Terry(?), ¹²⁶ Willis, ¹²⁷ Zacheus ¹²⁸	

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<i>County or District</i>	<i>1790</i>	<i>1800</i>	<i>1810</i>	<i>1820</i>
Chesterfield, SC		Colly, William ¹²⁹	Colley, Thos. ¹³⁰	
Orangeburg, SC	Colly, Sanders, ¹³¹ Bartholomew ¹³² Corley, Lawrence, ¹³³ Frederick, ¹³⁴ Michael ¹³⁵		Carley, William ¹³⁶	
Pendleton, SC	Carley, William ¹³⁷ Collet, Sarah ¹³⁸	Calley, Nimrod ¹³⁹ Colley, William ¹⁴⁰		
Laurens, SC			Corley, James ¹⁴¹	
Abbeville, SC			Corley, Atkin ¹⁴²	
Kershaw, SC		Colley, John ¹⁴³		
Lancaster, SC		Colley, Mary ¹⁴⁴		
Fairfield, SC		Colley, William ¹⁴⁵	Colley, William ¹⁴⁶	
Greenville, SC			Colley, J. ¹⁴⁷	
Cheraw, SC	Colley, William ¹⁴⁸			
Barnwell, SC			Colly, Jeremiah ¹⁴⁹	
Lexington, SC			Corley, Joshua ¹⁵⁰	
Charleston, SC	Coley, John ¹⁵²		Corley, Jacob ¹⁵¹ Colley, Thomas ¹⁵³	

of Samuel Young.¹⁵⁶

The origins of Samuel Young—whether Scotland, Ireland, or Cecil County, Md.—are a subject of some dispute.¹⁵⁷ In any event, Young traveled to North Carolina, where he was first granted land in March 1752 in Anson, later Rowan, County.¹⁵⁸ As a deputy surveyor of land during several years,¹⁵⁹ he had ample opportunity to find fertile tracts and, in fact, is said to have accumulated more than 4,000 acres in Rowan County.¹⁶⁰ In later years, Samuel Young served as chairman of the Rowan Committee of Safety (1775) and as a member of the legislature of North Carolina (1781-1782).¹⁶¹ According to his will, proved in court in November 1793, Young left the following children: William, Janet, Samuel, James, Margaret, John, and Joseph.¹⁶²

There are several reasons to consider the possibility that Susannah Colley was a Young before her marriage, perhaps a daughter of James Young, son of Samuel; but there is no direct or conclusive evidence. First, it was likely James Young, the son of Samuel, whose land bordered that of Andrew Colley on Fishing Creek in present day York County, S.C. A deed in Mecklenburg (later Tryon) County, N.C., dated 2 January 1768 indicates that “Andw. Calley” purchased from Benjamin Rainey 330 acres on the south side of Fishing Creek. This land adjoined tracts

belonging to James Young, William Hanna, James Hanna, Alexander Lewis, and Thomas McMurray; and the deed was witnessed by Richard Ball, Robert Roberson, and William Brown.¹⁶³

William Colley, a probable brother of Andrew Colley, also appears to have had connections to the Young family on Fishing Creek. William served as administrator of the estate of Robert Robertson along with John Young,¹⁶⁴ very likely the son also named in Samuel Young’s will.

At the time of the 1790 census for Rutherford County, N.C., a Captain Sam Young, a Samuel Young Jr., and John Earl, brother of Baylis Earle, are all listed as residents within the district of the Second Company.¹⁶⁵ The area occupied by the Second Company of county militia lay west of the Main Broad River, south of White Oak Creek, and north of the north fork of the Pacolet River, just above the North Carolina/South Carolina state line.¹⁶⁶ This is not only the general area in which the land of James Colley, Sr., lay according to the deed of 1787 discussed above¹⁶⁷ but also the general area in which Andrew Colley came to live on land purchased from Baylis Earle in 1792.¹⁶⁸

While the reason for Andrew Colley’s move westward from York into Spartanburg County is not known, he appears to have chosen to settle again

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on or around land owned either by Samuel Young or James Young. The 45 acres Andrew Colley purchased from Baylis Earle in 1792 was part of a tract that Earle had earlier bought at least in part from Samuel Young.¹⁶⁹ The 400 acres that Andrew Colley later purchased from James McBee (on the Plum Tree branch on the south side of the north fork of the Pacolet River) adjoined land belonging to Samuel Young.¹⁷⁰ In April 1767, Samuel Young had patented 650 acres in then-Mecklenburg County, N.C., on the north fork of the Pacolet River.¹⁷¹ James Young also owned land on the Pacolet River in the area where Andrew Colley settled in Spartanburg County.¹⁷²

Interestingly, Jacob Colley, eldest known son of Andrew and Susannah Colley, gave one of his sons, born in Kentucky, the name Young L. Colley.¹⁷³

Endnotes

¹ Memorials, 11: 455 and 12: 21.

² The evidence regarding the children of Andrew and Susannah Colley is largely circumstantial. For example, Andrew Colley Sr., Jacob Colley, and Andrew Colley Jr. had consecutive numbered surveys ordered on the same date for adjacent tracts of land on the waters of the Muddy fork of Little River, Christian County, Kentucky. Andrew Colley Jr., along with Jacob Colley's second son George W. Colley, was administrator of the estate of Jacob Colley in 1833 in Christian County, Kentucky. Susannah Colley, widow of Andrew Colley Sr., transferred 400 acres in Christian County, Kentucky, that were surveyed in her name to William Colley. Both William and Susannah Colley Jr. reported at the time of the 1850 census that they had been born in South Carolina. Susannah Colley Jr. lived in the household of William H. Colley, son of William Colley, at the time of the 1850 census and appears to have been living in the household of William Colley at the time of the 1840 census. At the time of his death, Jacob Colley owed money to Susannah Colley, Jr. The 1853 Christian County, Kentucky, death record for Susannah Colley Jr. states that her parents were Andrew and "Susan" Colley. James Colley served as security on the marriage bonds of both Andrew Colley Jr. and Polly Colley. James Colley was chain carrier for the 1805 survey of land for Jacob Colley and a witness in the 1805 suit of Andrew Colley against John Deson in the Christian County court. The 1805 survey for Nathan Jenkins' land in Christian County, Kentucky, indicates that James Colley's land lay adjacent to that of Susannah Colley and Jacob Colley. The Christian County tax list of 1801 reported that the household of Susannah Colley included one male aged 16-20, likely James Colley.

South Carolina Will Transcripts, Vol. 1: 198-199. The will of William Cally[sic] mentions his sons James, John, William,

Jacob, and Peleg.

³ South Carolina Will Transcripts Vol. 1: 198-199, South Carolina Department of Archives and History, Columbia, South Carolina.

⁴ South Carolina Will Transcripts Vol. 1: 199.

⁵ Jacob Colley Estate Settlement (1833-1836), Christian County Will Book K: 103, 111, County Clerk's Office, Hopkinsville, Kentucky. Receipt No. 6, account of Jacob Colley with Henry J. Stiles: This account included "1/2 doz hat at 4.00" and "1 Gro hat buckles at 1.00." Credit against the account was given for "1 Fur hat \$7.00" and "1 Doz Wool hats 12.00." Receipt No. 29, account of Jacob Colley with John Caldwell [apparently a carpenter] This account included "To making hatters blocks --- \$6.00" and "To making hat blocks 7.00." William Henry Perrin, editor, *Counties of Christian and Trigg, Kentucky, Historical and Biographical* (Chicago and Louisville: F.A. Battey, 1884), 311.

⁶ Christian County, Kentucky, Court Order Book C: 318, County Clerk's Office, Hopkinsville, Kentucky. June 1, 1818 - "On Motion of Jacob Colley and upon satisfactory proof being adduced to the Court, It is ordered to be certified that said Jacob is heir at Law to William Colley, Deceased who died in the service of the United States at New Orleans, and that said Jacob bore to said decedant[sic] the relationship of Cousin and brother-in-Law."

⁷ John Buchanan, *Jackson's Way, Andrew Jackson and the People of the Western Waters* (New York: John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 2001), 361. "Of the approximately 5,300 British soldiers in the attacking columns and reserve, 2,037 became casualties: dead, wounded, missing. Jackson lost 7 killed, 6 wounded."

⁸ York County, South Carolina, Deed Book H: 211, microfilm no. 355978, Family History Library [FHL], Salt Lake City, Utah.

⁹ Lincoln County, North Carolina, Real Estate Conveyances, 1769-1774, Volume 1: 447-448, North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources, Division of Archives and History.

¹⁰ Lincoln County, North Carolina, Real Estate Conveyances, 1: 266-269.

¹¹ Memorials, 11: 455.

Philbeck, *Tryon County, North Carolina, Index to Land Surveys*, unnumbered page, Guide to the Index 1st page.

¹² Brent H. Holcomb, *North Carolina Land Grants in South Carolina*, 2 volumes (Clinton, South Carolina: B.H. Holcomb, 1975-1976), 2: 18.

¹³ Brent H. Holcomb, *Deed Abstracts of Tryon, Lincoln and Rutherford Counties, North Carolina, 1769-1786: Tryon County Wills and Estates* (Easley, South Carolina: Southern Historical Press, 1977), 33. Tryon-Lincoln Deeds Vol. 1, pages 457-458, Dickson to Hanna.

Anonymous, "York Co., S.C. Deed Book A," *Georgia Genealogical Magazine* 52 (Spring 1974): 215. York County, South Carolina, Deed Book A, pages 282-284, Barron to Sandifer.

¹⁴ Laurence K. Wells, *York County, South Carolina, Minutes of the County Court, 1786-1797* (Columbia, South Carolina: South Carolina Magazine of Ancestral Research, 1981), 25.

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- ¹⁵ Wells, "Some Early Settlers on Fishing Creek," 226.
- ¹⁶ Memorials, 12: 21.
- ¹⁷ Lincoln County, North Carolina, Real Estate Conveyances, 1: 267, 269.
- ¹⁸ A. S. Salley, editor, *Stub Entries to Indents Issued in Payment of Claims Against South Carolina Growing Out of the Revolution*, 12 volumes (Columbia, South Carolina: Historical Commission of South Carolina, 1910-1957), I[letter]: 33. No. 177
- ¹⁹ Lineage application of Ellen Short Seals, national no. 655860, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, (William Colley), approved 1981.
- ²⁰ South Carolina Will Transcripts, Vol. 1: 198-199.
- ²¹ South Carolina Will Transcripts, Vol. 1: 198-199.
- ²² Willm Cally household, 1790 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 189; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 3 white males 16+, 3 white males under 16, 3 white females, 2 slaves
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- ²⁴ South Carolina Will Transcripts, Vol. 1: 199.
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- ³⁶ DAR, Ellen Short Seals, national no. 655860.
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- ⁴⁰ York County, South Carolina, Deed Book H: 211.
- ⁴¹ Christian County, Kentucky, Court Order Book C: 318.
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- South Carolina Will Transcripts, Vol. 1: 198-199. The 1798 will of William Cally of York County, South Carolina, mentions his wife Mary and his sons James, John, William, Jacob, and Peleg.
- ⁴⁷ Jacob Colly household, 1820 U.S. census, Christian County, Kentucky, page 35; National Archives micropublication M33, roll 20. Jacob Colly household includes one male aged 26-45.
- Jacob Colley household, 1830 U.S. census, Christian County, Kentucky, page 7; National Archives micropublication M19, roll 35. Jacob Colley household includes one male aged 50-60.
- Comparison of these two censuses indicates that Jacob Colley was likely aged 50-55 in 1830 and therefore likely born between 1775 and 1780.
- Willm Cally household, 1790 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 189; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. Willm Cally household includes three males aged 16+ and three males aged under 16.
- Two of the sons of William Colley could, therefore, have been fourteen years of age at the time of the Cally to McCluy deed in 1787, but which two of his five sons were the oldest is not now known.
- ⁴⁸ The evidence regarding the children of Andrew and Susannah Colley is largely circumstantial. For example, Andrew Colley Sr., Jacob Colley, and Andrew Colley Jr. had consecutive numbered surveys ordered on the same date for adjacent tracts of land on the waters of the Muddy fork of Little River, Christian County, Kentucky. James Colley served as security on the marriage bonds of both Andrew Colley Jr. and Polly Colley. James Colley was chain carrier for the 1805 survey of land for Jacob Colley and a witness in the 1805

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suit of Andrew Colley against John Deson in the Christian County court. The 1805 survey for Nathan Jenkins' land in Christian County, Kentucky, indicates that James Colley's land lay adjacent to that of Susannah Colley and Jacob Colley. The Christian County tax list of 1801 reported that the household of Susannah Colley included one male aged 16-20, likely James Colley.

South Carolina Will Transcripts, Vol. 1: 198-199. The 1798 will of William Cally of York County, South Carolina, names his wife Mary and his sons James, John, William, Jacob, and Peleg.

⁴⁹ Holcomb, *Minutes of the County Court*, 232, 238, 242, 247, 253, 260.

⁵⁰ Spartanburgh County, South Carolina, Minutes of the County Court, 1799: 168.

⁵¹ Kathy Gunter Sullivan, *Tryon County Documents 1769-1779: A North Carolina County* (Forest City, North Carolina: Genealogical Society of Old Tryon County, 2000), 90.

⁵² Memorials, 11: 455 and 12: 21.

Miles S. Philbeck, *Tryon County, North Carolina, Index to Land Surveys* (Chapel Hill, North Carolina: M.S. Philbeck, 1987), unnumbered page, Guide to the Index 1st page.

⁵³ Salley, *Stub Entries to Indents*, I: 33. "No. 176, Issued 17 Sepr: 1784 to Mr. James Colley for Seventeen pounds Sterling for One hundred and fifty nine days Militia Duty as P account audited."

⁵⁴ Salley, *Stub Entries to Indents*, I: 33. No. 177

Salley, *Stub Entries to Indents*, X (Part I): 148. No. 1387

Ross, *Roster of South Carolina Patriots*, 189.

⁵⁵ Rutherford County, North Carolina, Record of Deeds Vol. E: 83-84.

⁵⁶ Rutherford County, North Carolina, Record of Deeds Vol. E: 83-84.

⁵⁷ Willm Cally household, 1790 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 189; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 3 white males 16+, 3 white males under 16, 3 white females, 2 slaves

⁵⁸ Don Simmons, compiler, *Christian County, Kentucky, Tax Lists: 1800-01-02-03* (Melber, Kentucky: Simmons Historical Publications, 1978), 19. Book Two, South, 1801: Colley, Susanna 1 male 16-20.

⁵⁹ James Cally household, 1790 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 189; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 2 white males under 16, 3 white females

⁶⁰ James Colley household, 1800 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 944; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 49. 2 males under 10, 2 males 10-16, 1 male 26-45, 2 females under 10, 1 female 10-16, 1 female 16-26, 1 female 26-45

⁶¹ DAR, Ellen Short Seals, national no. 655860. "John Colley (Cally) [born] 1789, York County, South Carolina, [died] before 27 April 1874, Wilcox County, Alabama"

⁶² South Carolina Will Transcripts, Vol. 1: 198.

⁶³ Ross, *Roster of South Carolina Patriots*, 201-202. Those listed include Abner Corley, Catlet Corley, John Corley, Joseph

Corley, Nathaniel Corley, Peter Corley, Richard Corley, Sherard (Sherwood) Corley, and Zaceous Corley.

⁶⁴ 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, pages 511, 512; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11.

⁶⁵ Sara Sullivan Ervin, compiler and editor, *South Carolinians in the Revolution, With Service Records and Miscellaneous Data, Also Abstracts of Wills* (1949; reprint, Baltimore, Maryland: Clearfield, 1997), 81.

⁶⁶ Ervin, *South Carolinians in the Revolution*, 80.

⁶⁷ Maynard Colley household, 1790 U.S. census, Rockingham County, North Carolina, page 537; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 7. 2 white males 16+, 2 white males under 16, 4 white females

⁶⁸ Pruitt, *Colonial Land Entries in North Carolina*, I: 65.

⁶⁹ Pruitt, *Colonial Land Entries in North Carolina*, I: iii

⁷⁰ Pruitt, *Colonial Land Entries in North Carolina*, 2: 45.

⁷¹ Clarence E. Ratcliff, compiler, *North Carolina Taxpayers*, 2 volumes (Baltimore, Maryland: Genealogical Publishing Company, 1987-1989), 1: 43.

⁷² Davis, *Rutherford County North Carolina Abstracts of Deeds*, 91. Deed Book K, page 205.

⁷³ Ratcliff, *North Carolina Taxpayers*, I: 38.

⁷⁴ William F. Medlen, *Quaker Families of South Carolina & Georgia* (No place: Ben Franklin Press, 1982), 45.

⁷⁵ Medlen, *Quaker Families*, 45.

⁷⁶ Mary Bondurant Warren, *South Carolina Jury Lists, 1718 through 1783* (Danielsville, Georgia: Heritage Papers, 1977), 38.

⁷⁷ Ratcliff, *North Carolina Taxpayers*, I: 38.

⁷⁸ Pruitt, *Colonial Land Entries in North Carolina*, 4: 16.

⁷⁹ Pruitt, *Colonial Land Entries in North Carolina*, 4: 26.

⁸⁰ Sam Colley household, 1790 U.S. census, Spartanburgh County, South Carolina, page 35; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 4 white females

⁸¹ Benjn Carley household, 1790 U.S. census, Spartanburgh County, South Carolina, page 20; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white female

⁸² Henry Carley household, 1790 U.S. census, Spartanburgh County, South Carolina, page 20; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 2 white females

⁸³ Wm. Carley household, 1790 U.S. census, Spartanburgh County, South Carolina, page 20; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white female

⁸⁴ Saml. Colley household, 1800 U.S. census, Spartanburgh District, South Carolina, page 210; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 50. 1 male 26-45, 3 females under 10, 2 females 10-16, 1 female 45+

⁸⁵ Samuel Calley household, 1810 U.S. census, Spartanburg County, South Carolina, page 188; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 61. 1 male of 45 and up, 1 female of 10 and under 16, 2 females 16 and under 26, 1 female 45 and up.

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⁸⁶ Saml Colly household, 1820 U.S. census, Spartanburg County, South Carolina, page 271; National Archives micropublication M33, roll 120. 1 male under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 45+, 1 female under 10, 1 female 45+, 2 persons working in agriculture

⁸⁷ Willm Cally household, 1790 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 189; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 3 white males 16+, 3 white males under 16, 3 white females, 2 slaves

⁸⁸ James Cally household, 1790 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 189; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 2 white males under 16, 3 white females

⁸⁹ James Colley household, 1800 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 944; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 49. 2 males under 10, 2 males 10-16, 1 male 26-45, 2 females under 10, 1 female 10-16, 1 female 16-26, 1 female 26-45

⁹⁰ Mary Colley household, 1800 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 944; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 49. 1 male 10-16, 1 male 26-45, 1 female 10-16, 1 female 45+, 1 other free person, 2 slaves

⁹¹ Joseph Carley household, 1800 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 952; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 49. 1 male 45+, 1 female 16-26, 2 slaves

⁹² Jacob Cauley household, 1810 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 272; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 61. 2 males 10-16, 1 male 26-45, 2 females under 10, 1 female 26-45

⁹³ Mary Cauley household, 1810 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 273; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 61. 1 male 16-26, 1 male 26-45, 1 female 45+, 2 slaves

⁹⁴ Jos. Carley household, 1810 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 274; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 61. 1 male 45+, 1 female 45+, 2 slaves

⁹⁵ Peleg Colly household, 1820 U.S. census, York County, South Carolina, page 168; National Archives micropublication M33, roll 121. 1 male under 10, 1 male 26-45, 2 females under 10, 1 female 26-45, 1 female 45+, 1 male slave 45+

⁹⁶ Jacob Colly household, 1800 U.S. census, Chester County, South Carolina, page 91; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 47. 2 males under 10, 1 male 26-45, 1 female 26-45

⁹⁷ Jon Cauley Jnr household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 512; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white male under 16, 4 white females

⁹⁸ Zaechs. Cauley household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 512; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white male under 16, 4 white females

⁹⁹ Volentine Cauley household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 511; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white male under 16, 1 white female

¹⁰⁰ Richd. Cauley household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield

County, South Carolina, page 511; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 2 white males 16+, 1 white male under 16, 1 white female, 4 slaves

¹⁰¹ Volentine Cauley household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 512; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 7 white females

¹⁰² Jon. Cauley Sr. household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 511; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white male under 16, 1 white female

¹⁰³ Abner Cauley household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 511; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white male under 16, 2 white females

¹⁰⁴ Nathn. Cauley household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 512; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white male under 16, 1 white female

¹⁰⁵ Mikajah Cauley household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 511; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 2 white males 16+, 3 white males under 16, 2 white females

¹⁰⁶ James Cauley household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 511; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white male under 16, 2 white females

¹⁰⁷ Catlett Cauley household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 511; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 3 white males under 16, 2 white females

¹⁰⁸ Shorewood Cauley household, 1790 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 511; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white male under 16, 3 white females

¹⁰⁹ Abner Cauley household, 1800 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 177; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 47. 1 male 10-16, 1 male 26-45, 1 female 10-16, 1 female 26-45, 3 slaves

¹¹⁰ Cahah Cauley household, 1800 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 176; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 47. 2 males under 10, 1 male 45+, 1 female 45+

¹¹¹ Catlett Cauley household, 1800 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 177; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 47. 1 male under 10, 2 males, 10-16, 1 male 16-26, 1 male 45+, 5 females under 10, 1 female 45+, 4 slaves

¹¹² Henry Cauley household, 1800 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 138; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 47. 1 male 16-26, 1 female 16-26

¹¹³ James Cauley household, 1800 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 179; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 47. 2 males under 10, 1 male 10-

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“Doomed to their Fate”: Kentuckians at Dudley’s Defeat, 5 May 1813

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Part Two

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Kentucky – Casualty Lists – Dudley’s Defeat – War of 1812*

Killed in Action (KIA)/Died of Wounds (DOW)

(Total KIA/DOW = 52. There are 3 individuals listed in the Kentucky Adjutant General’s Report as KIA, however research has verified the fact that these individuals were POW and survived the war; Burrough, Cochran, and Mackey.)

Name:	Rank:	Unit of Assignment:	Remark(s):
Alexander, Robert W.	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley’s Co., Boswell’s Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ³⁰
Armstrong, Thomas	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley’s Co., Boswell’s Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ³¹
Baum, Whitfield	PVT	Capt. Lewis’ Co., Dudley’s Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Also appears as Bamm.
Burrough, Thomas	PVT	Capt. Keir’s Co., Dudley’s Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Although listed as a KIA, Burrough (Bronaugh/ Bronough/Brenaugh) was only wounded, taken prisoner, and then paroled. His name appears on list of prisoners in the Quebec Jail, 13 December 1813. He filed for a pension in 1844 and a land bounty in 1850 at Parke Co., Indiana. His bounty land was located in Polk Co., Missouri. Last entry on his pension is dated 1854.
Clark, George	PVT	Capt. Yantis’ Co., Dudley’s Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
Clark, Joseph	PVT	Capt. Henry’s Co., Dudley’s Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.

³⁰ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley’s Company*, p. 1.

³¹ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley’s Company*, p. 1.

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Name:	Rank:	Unit of Assignment:	Remark(s):
Clark, William Joseph	???	Kentucky Militia	KIA 5 May 1813, per Known Dead.
Clarke, Joseph	CPT	Capt. Clarke's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Also listed as Clark.
Coburn, Robert	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ³² Individual is not listed in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report.
Cochran, Eleazer	PVT	Capt. Farris' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	According to the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report individual was never heard of after battle of 5 May 1813. He was taken POW and appears on list of POWs in the Quebec Jail, 13 Jan 1813. Also appears as Cawthen and Corthram. ³³
Daniel, William G.	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ³⁴
Dooley, Ephraim	LT	Capt. Clarke's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
Dougherty, John	PVT	Capt. Combs' Co., Det. of Spies, Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Also appears as Daugherty.
Dudley, William	COL	Field & Staff, Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
Dyehouse, Edward	PVT	Capt. Yantis' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813/DOW at Ft. Meigs 26 September 1813. Also listed as Dyhouse. ³⁵
Elkins, Ellitt	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ³⁶ Names also appears as Ellett Elkins.
Elliott, James	PVT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
Fitzjarrell, Silas	PVT	Capt. Lewis' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813, also shown as having died 28 Sep 1813. Also appears as Fitzgerald.
George, Joseph	SGT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Also listed as Joseph George.
Gill, Thomas	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ³⁷ Name does not appear in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report.

³² Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 1.

³³ Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 8.

³⁴ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 2.

³⁵ Evers, *Dedication of Fort Meigs Monument*, p. 39.

³⁶ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 2.

³⁷ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 2.

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Name:	Rank:	Unit of Assignment:	Remark(s):
Grant, William	PVT	Capt. J. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Although listed in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report, there is no notation of his having been killed. ³⁸
Gregory, Walter	PVT	Capt. Sebree's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Not listed as KIA in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report. ³⁹
Hardin, Benj.	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ⁴⁰ Name also appears as Bery Hardin
Hardin, James	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ⁴¹
Hatton, William	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ⁴² Name also appears as Hulton.
Hellerson, Benjamin	PVT	Capt. Farris' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	Killed in the slaughter pen. Also appears as Helberson.
Hellerson, Robert	PVT	Capt. Farris' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	Killed in the slaughter pen.
Irvine, Christopher	LT	Capt. Dyametto's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Also listed as CPT. ⁴³
Johnson, John	PVT	Capt. Combs' Co., Det. of Spies, Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Per Known Dead listed as died 2 May 1813.
Lewis, Thomas	CPT	Capt. Lewis' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
Mackey, Mathias	PVT	Capt. Arthur's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. This individual does not appear in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report, however Mackey family research discovered this oversight in the report. See Mackey, John, under POW listing.
Martin, William	PVT	Capt. J. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	POW on 5 May 1813/ Paroled same day/DOW. Also see William Martin listed with POW, served with Yantis' Co.

³⁸ Information from Grant family file.

³⁹ Evers, *Dedication of Fort Meigs Monument*, p. 39.

⁴⁰ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 2.

⁴¹ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 2.

⁴² Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 2.

⁴³ Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 26.

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Name:	Rank:	Unit of Assignment:	Remark(s):
Mass, Theodore	PVT	Dudley's Regiment, Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Not listed in Kentucky Adjutant General's Report at Ft. Meigs. ⁴⁴
McClanihan, William	LT	Capt. Seamonds' Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
McClain, James Sr.	PVT	Capt. Lewis' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. This individual is not listed in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report. According to McClain family history both James Sr., and Jr. served and fought at Dudley's Defeat. James Sr. also a Revolutionary War veteran was killed in the action of 5 May 1813. See McClain, James (POW).
Moran, Nicholas	PVT	Capt. Yantis' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813/DOW 17 May 1813. ⁴⁵
Morrison, John C.	CPT	Capt. J. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. In the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report, J. Morrison is not listed as a casualty of the battle, Campbell family genealogy indicates that John Morrison was KIA at Dudley's Defeat. ⁴⁶
Murray, John	PVT	Kentucky Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. This individual is not listed in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report. ⁴⁷
Peebles, James	PVT	Capt. Clarke's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Also appears as Pebles.
Pitcher, Shadrach	PVT	Capt. Combs' Co., Det. of Spies, Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
Polly, Jesse	PVT	Capt. Keir's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.

⁴⁴ Evers, *Dedication of Fort Meigs Monument*, p. 39.

⁴⁵ Evers, *Dedication of Fort Meigs Monument*, p. 39.

⁴⁶ Norfleet, Phil. *Five Generation Genealogical Report—"Black David" Branch of Campbell Family*. In a letter to Lyman Draper in 1842, David Campbell (1779-1859, Governor of Virginia 1837-1840) made the following statement concerning the two Morrison brothers (Archibald and John) service in the War of 1812. ". . . [Archibald and John] commanded companies in Col Dudley's regiment during the last war. Archibald was shot all to pieces in Dudley's defeat and John and nearly all his company were killed. . ."

⁴⁷ Calloway families. John Murray son of John and Dorcas (Robinson) Murray of Bullitt Station, Ky. was killed at Dudley's Defeat in the War of 1812.

⁴⁸ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 3.

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Name:	Rank:	Unit of Assignment:	Remark(s):
Plough, William	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ⁴⁸
Samuel, Anthony	CPL	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Also appears as Sanmul.
Samuel, Larkin M.	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. ⁴⁹ Name also appears as Samuels.
Simpson, Albert	PVT	Capt. A. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	Not heard of since battle of 5 May 1813.
Simpson, James	PVT	Dudley's Regiment, Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813. Not listed in Kentucky Adjutant General's Report at Ft. Meigs. ⁵⁰
Sloan, Daniel	PVT	Capt. Yantis' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
Staten, Joseph	PVT	Capt. Yantis' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
Stevenson, John	PVT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
Wallace, Ewell	PVT	Capt. Yantis' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.
Weathers, Joshua	PVT	Capt. J. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	Supposed to have been killed.
White, Henry	PVT	Capt. A. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	KIA 5 May 1813.

Missing in Action (MIA)

(Total MIA = 22. There is 1 individual listed as MIA in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report who was actually a KIA; Kilbreath.)

Name:	Rank:	Unit of Assignment:	Remark(s):
Alley, John D.	PVT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Bayless, Israel	PVT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Beeler, Henry	PVT	Capt. Lewis' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Bowles, William	PVT	Capt. Clarke's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Codden, Richard	PVT	Capt. Dyametto's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Colwell, John	SGT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Conwell, William	PVT	Capt. Keir's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Davis, Frederick	PVT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Dempser, Benjamin W.	PVT	Capt. Clarke's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Fitzmaster, Samuel	PVT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Hall, William	PVT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Hucerson, Charles	PVT	Capt. Clarke's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Hull, Gaskum	PVT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Kilbreath, John	PVT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813. Promoted to Captain of a Spy Company, August 20, 1813. According to Captain Leslie Combs's narrative, Kilbreath was already in command of

⁴⁹ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 1.

⁵⁰ Evers, *Dedication of Fort Meigs Monument*, p. 39.

Kentuckians at Dudley's Defeat, Part Two, *continued*

Name:	Rank:	Unit of Assignment:	Remark(s):
			his company of spies at the battle of the 5 th of May, 1813, and that Kilbreath had been killed in action. ⁵¹
Law, Thomas	PVT	Capt. Combs' Co., Det. of Spies, Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Maxwell, James	PVT	Capt. Dyametto's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Norman, Caleb	PVT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Pevo, James	SGT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Tidwell, John	PVT	Capt. Keir's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Ward, John	PVT	Capt. Yantis' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813. ⁵²
Wilson, Nathaniel	PVT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.
Wilson, Richard	PVT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	MIA 5 May 1813.

Wounded in Action (WIA)

(Total WIA = 34. There are 4 individuals listed as WIA who were also POW; Bicknell, Combs, Taylor, and Underwood.)

Name:	Rank:	Unit of Assignment:	Remark(s):
Akers, Larkin	ENS	Capt. Lewis' Co., Dudley's Regt., My. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁵³ Name appears as Acres in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report, with a rank of PVT.
Benson, Thomas	PVT	Capt. A. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813/Discharged.
Benson, Thomas	PVT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813/Escaped.
Bicknell, Linsfield	PVT	Capt. Combs' Co., Det. of Spies, Ky. Militia	WIA/POW 5 May 1813. Bicknell is the Great G-G-G-G Grandfather of the author. Prior to his service in Combs' Co., he served in Farris' Co. Bicknell is not listed as having been WIA or a POW at Dudley's Defeat. ⁵⁴ Also appears as Bicknall. ⁵⁵
Bowlman, Amos	PVT	Capt. A. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813/Discharged.
Brashears, Otho	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁵⁶
Bullock, James P.	PVT	Capt. Clarke's Co., Dudley's Regt. Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁵⁷

⁵¹ *Narrative of the Life of General Leslie Combs*, p. 19.

⁵² John Ward from Garrard Co., serving in Capt. Yantis' Co. was listed as a POW in the Quebec Jail, 13 December 1813.

⁵³ Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 1.

⁵⁴ Trowbridge family genealogy. White, Virgil D. *Index to War of 1812 Pension Files*, vol. 1, p. 134.

⁵⁵ Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 5.

⁵⁶ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 1.

⁵⁷ Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 7.

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Name:	Rank:	Unit of Assignment:	Remark(s):
Burnitt, Benjamin	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁵⁸ Name also appears as Bennett.
Campbell, Lindsey	SGT	Capt. Thomas' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813.
Combs, Leslie	CPT	Capt. Combs' Co., Det. of Spies, Ky. Militia	WIA/POW 5 May 1813. Combs is not listed as WIA or POW in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report. ⁵⁹
Farthing, Dudley	PVT	Capt. Farris' Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813.
Grant, William	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁶⁰
Hawkins, Arealous	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁶¹ Name also appears as Arealous Hawkins.
Highfield, Leonard	PVT	Capt. Sebree's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁶²
Holding, Richard	PVT	Capt. A. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813/Discharged.
Johnston, James	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁶³ Name also appears as Johnson.
Karsner, John	PVT	Capt. J. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁶⁴
Lafon, William	PVT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813.
Leonard, John	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁶⁵
Martin, Gilbert	PVT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813.
Morrison, Archibald	CPT	Capt. A. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. A. Morrison is not listed as having been wounded at the battle in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report. See footnote for John Morrison (KIA).
Murphy, Peter	PVT	17 th U. S. Infantry	According to pension records individual lost his right eye at Dudley's Defeat. ⁶⁶
Ruble, John A.	PVT	Capt. P. Dudley's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁶⁷ Name also appears as John R. Ruble.

⁵⁸ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 1.

⁵⁹ Col. Wm. Dudley's Defeat Opposite Fort Meigs. *Official Report from Captain Leslie Combs to General Green Clay*. Also see, Clift, *Notes on Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, pp. 10-11.

⁶⁰ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 2.

⁶¹ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 2.

⁶² Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 25.

⁶³ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 2.

⁶⁴ Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, pp. 28-29.

⁶⁵ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 2.

⁶⁶ Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 36.

⁶⁷ Downs, *Order Book of Captain Peter Dudley's Company*, p. 3.

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Name:	Rank:	Unit of Assignment:	Remark(s):
Slaughter, Robert	PVT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813.
Smeather, Benjamin	PVT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813.
Snellen, Alexander	PVT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813.
Snellen, Benjamin	PVT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813.
Stevens, Thomas	PVT	Capt. Sebree's Co., Boswell's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. Also served in the Revolutionary War. ⁶⁸
Sublett, John S.	PVT	Capt. Keir's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	According to pension records, WIA/POW 5 May 1813. Name also appears as Sublet. ⁶⁹
Taylor, Cornelius	PVT	Capt. Arthur's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA/POW 5 May 1813. Individual is not listed as WIA or POW in the Kentucky Adjutant General's Report. ⁷⁰
Underwood, Joseph R.	LT	Capt. J. Morrison's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA/POW 5 May 1813. Although not listed in the Adjutant General's Report as having been wounded in action, other narratives on the life of Judge Underwood indicate that he had been wounded and taken prisoner. ⁷¹
Ward, Andrew	PVT	Capt. Bradford's Co., 17 th U. S. Inf.	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁷²
Ward, Henry	PVT	Capt. Henry's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813.
Warden, William B.	PVT	Capt. Keir's Co., Dudley's Regt., Ky. Militia	WIA 5 May 1813. ⁷³

Recapitulation by Rank:

Rank:	POW:	KIA/DOW:	MIA:	WIA:
COL = Colonel	0	1	0	0
CPT = Captain	2	3	0	2
LT = Lieutenant	3	3	0	1
ENS = Ensign	2	0	0	1
SGM = Sergeant Major	1	0	0	0
QSG = Quartermaster Sergeant	1	0	0	0
SGT = Sergeant	5	1	2	1
3SG = Third Sergeant	1	0	0	0

⁶⁸ Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 47.

⁶⁹ Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 48.

⁷⁰ Warren, K. S. *A History of Knox County, Kentucky*, p. 167.

⁷¹ Collins, Lewis. *History of Kentucky*, p. 540 (Warren County).

⁷² Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 52.

⁷³ Clift, *Notes On Kentucky Veterans of the War of 1812*, p. 52.

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Rank:	POW:	KIA/DOW:	MIA:	WIA:
CPL = Corporal	6	2	0	0
FIF = Fifer	1	0	0	0
PVT = Private	160	41	20	29
DRM = Drummer	1	0	0	0
???? = Unknown	0	1	0	0
TOTALS:	183	52	22	34

Recapitulation by Command:

Command:	POW:	KIA/DOW:	MIA:	WIA:
Field and Staff, Dudley's Regiment:	2	1	0	0
Captain John D. Thomas' Company:	37	0	11	1
Captain Armstrong Keir's Company:	4	2	2	2
Captain James Dyametto's Company:	22	1	2	0
Captain John Yantis' Company:	17	6	1	0
Captain Archibald Morrison's Company:	11	2	0	4
Captain Joseph Clarke's Company:	0	3	3	1
Captain Dudley Farris' Company:	0	3	0	1
Captain Ambrose Arthur's Company:	1	1	0	1
Captain Joel Henry's Company:	54	5	1	8
Captain Thomas Lewis' Company:	27	4	1	1
Captain John C. Morrison's Company:	3	4	0	2
Captain Peter Dudley's Company, Boswell's Regiment:	0	11	0	7
Captain Manson Seamonds' Company, Boswell's Regiment:	0	1	0	0
Captain Sebree's Company, Boswell's Regiment:	5	1	0	2
Captain Leslie Combs' Company of Green Clay's Detachment of Spies:	0	3	1	2

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Following Dudley's Defeat and the retreat of the British and Indians, American troops from Fort Meigs crossed the Maumee River and retrieved their fallen Kentucky comrades. They buried them in a mass grave near the fort, a site which became known as Kentucky Hill. It is today part of Fort Meigs State Memorial, a 65-acre park and 10-acre reproduction of the fort in Perrysburg, Ohio. Kentucky Hill has no markers or headstones honoring the Kentucky soldiers' service to the nation.

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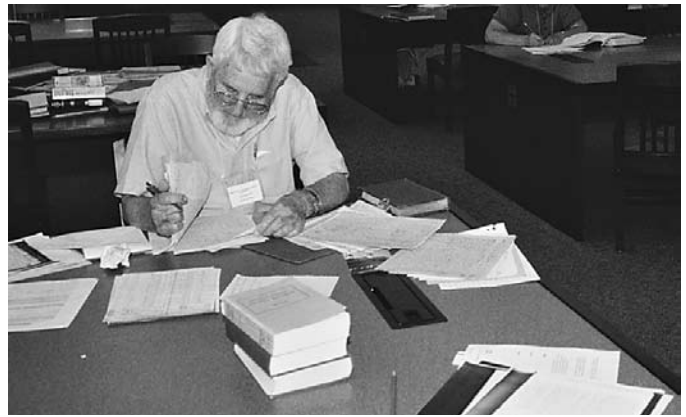
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16, 1 male 26-45, 2 females under 10, 1 female 26-45

¹¹⁴ Jesse Cauley household, 1800 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 179; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 47. 1 male under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 45+, 3 females under 10, 2 females 10-16, 1 female 26-45

¹¹⁵ William Cauley household, 1800 U.S. census, Edgefield County, South Carolina, page 176; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 47. 3 males under 10, 2 males 10-16, 1 male 16-26, 1 male 45+, 1 female under 10, 1 female 45+

¹¹⁶ Abner Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 37; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 3 males under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 45+, 1 female under 10, 1 female 10-16, 2 females 16-26, 1 female 45+

¹¹⁷ Abner Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 88; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 3 males under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 45+, 1 female under 10, 1 female 10-16, 2 females 16-26, 1 female 45+ [This may be the same household, enumerated twice, as that on page 37 of the census.]

¹¹⁸ Absolem Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 52; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 1 male under 10, 1 male 16-26, 1 female under 10, 1 female 16-26

¹¹⁹ Benjm. Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 91; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 3 males under 10, 1 male 26-45, 1 female 16-26, 1 female 45+

¹²⁰ Catlett Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 93; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 2 males under 10, 2 males 10-16, 1 male 16-26, 1 male 45+, 1 female under 10, 2 females 10-16, 4 females 16-26, 1 female 45+, 1 slave

¹²¹ Elisa Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 91; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 2 males under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 16-26, 1 male 26-45, 2 females 10-16, 2 females 16-26, 1 female 45+, 3 slaves

¹²² Heny[sic] Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 90; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 1 male under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 26-45, 3 females under 10, 2 females 26-45

¹²³ Jesse Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 52; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 2 males under 10, 1 male 16-26, 1 female 16-26

¹²⁴ Mary Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 78; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 1 male under 10, 1 male 16-26, 1 female under 10, 1 female 10-16, 2 females 16-26, 1 female 45+

¹²⁵ Michael Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 43; National Archives

micropublication M252, roll 62. 1 male 16-26, 1 female 16-26

¹²⁶ Terry(?) Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 63; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 1 male under 10, 2 males 10-16, 1 male 26-45, 2 females 16-26, 1 female 26-45

¹²⁷ Willis Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 37; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 1 male under 10, 1 male 16-26, 2 females under 10, 1 female 16-26

¹²⁸ Zacheus Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Edgefield District, South Carolina, page 76; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 2 males under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 45+, 1 female 26-45

¹²⁹ William Colly household, 1800 U.S. Census, Chesterfield County, South Carolina, page 101; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 47. 1 male 45+, 3 females under 10, 2 females 10-16, 1 female 26-45

¹³⁰ Thos. Colley household, 1810 U.S. Census, Chesterfield County, South Carolina, page 295; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 60. 4 males under 10, 1 male 45+, 1 female 10-16, 1 female 16-26, 1 female 26-45

¹³¹ Sanders Colley household, 1790 U.S. census, Orangeburg County, South Carolina, page 256; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white male under 16, 2 white females

¹³² Bartholomew Colley household, 1790 U.S. census, Orangeburg County, South Carolina, page 256; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 1 white male under 16, 2 white females

¹³³ Laurence Corley household, 1790 U.S. census, Orangeburg County, South Carolina, page 390; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 2 white males 16+, 2 white males under 16, 4 white females, 1 slave

¹³⁴ Frederick Corley household, 1790 U.S. census, Orangeburg County, South Carolina, page 390; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 2 white females

¹³⁵ Michael Corley household, 1790 U.S. census, Orangeburg County, South Carolina, page 400; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 2 white males 16+, 2 white males under 16, 4 white females

¹³⁶ Wm. Carley household, 1810 U.S. census, Orangeburg County, South Carolina, page 130; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 61. 1 male under 10, 2 males 10-16, 1 male 16-26, 1 male 45+, 1 female under 10, 1 female 45+

¹³⁷ William Carley household, 1790 U.S. census, Pendleton County, South Carolina, page 6; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 1 white male 16+, 3 white males under 16, 4 white females

¹³⁸ Sarah Collet household, 1790 U.S. census, Pendleton County, South Carolina, page 4; National Archives micropublication, M637, roll 11. 4 white females

¹³⁹ Nimrod Calley household, 1800 U.S. census, Pendleton District, South Carolina, page 151; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 50. 2 males under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 26-45, 2 females under 10, 1 female 26-45

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¹⁴⁰ William Colley household, 1800 U.S. census, Pendleton District, South Carolina, page 161; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 50. 3 males 10-16, 1 male 45+, 2 females under 10, 1 female 10-16, 2 females 26-45

¹⁴¹ Jas. Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Laurens County, South Carolina, page 46; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 61. 1 male under 10, 1 male 16-26, 1 female 16-26

¹⁴² Atkin Corley household, 1810 census, Abbeville County, South Carolina, page 55; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 60. 3 males under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 26-45, 2 females under 10, 1 female 10-16, 1 female 26-45

¹⁴³ John Colley household, 1800 U.S. census, Kershaw District, South Carolina, page 417; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 49. 1 male under 10, 1 male 16-26, 2 females under 10, 1 female 16-26, 1 female 26-45

¹⁴⁴ Mary Colley household, 1800 U.S. census, Lancaster District, South Carolina, page 7; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 50. 1 male under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 female 45+

¹⁴⁵ William Colley household, 1800 U.S. census, Fairfield County, South Carolina, page 205; National Archives micropublication M32, roll 47. 2 males under 10, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 45+, 1 female under 10, 1 female 10-16, 2 females 16-26

¹⁴⁶ William Colley household, 1810 U.S. census, Fairfield County, South Carolina, page 201; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 2 males 10-16, 1 male 45+, 1 female 16-26, 1 female 45+

¹⁴⁷ J. Colley household, 1810 U.S. census, Greenville County, South Carolina, page 110; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 62. 1 male under 10, 2 males 10-16, 1 male 16-26, 1 male 26-45, 1 male 45+, 1 female under 10, 2 females 10-16, 2 females 16-26, 1 female 26-45

¹⁴⁸ William Colley household, 1790 U.S. census, Cheraw District, South Carolina, page 354; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 2 white males 16+, 3 white females

¹⁴⁹ Jeremiah Colly household, 1810 U.S. census, Barnwell County, South Carolina, page 97; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 60. 1 male under 10, 1 male 26-45, 2 females under 10, 2 females 10-16, 1 female 26-45

¹⁵⁰ Joshua Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Barnwell County, South Carolina, page 99; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 60. 1 male under 10, 1 male 16-26, 1 male 26-45, 1 female 16-26

¹⁵¹ Jacob Corley household, 1810 U.S. census, Lexington County, South Carolina, page 75; National Archives micropublication M252, roll 61. 1 male 10-16, 1 male 26-45, 1 female 16-26

¹⁵² John Coley household, 1790 U.S. census, St. Georges Dorchester, Charleston District, South Carolina, page 616; National Archives micropublication M637, roll 11. 2 white males 16+, 1 white male under 16, 4 white females

¹⁵³ Thos. Colley household, 1810 U.S. census, Charleston County, South Carolina, page 295; National Archives

micropublication M252, roll 60. 4 males under 10, 1 male 1 male 45+, 1 female 10-16, 1 female 16-26, 1 female 26-45

¹⁵⁴ Jacob Colly household, 1820 U.S. census, Christian County, Kentucky, page 35; National Archives micropublication M33, roll 20. Includes 1 male 26-45

Jacob Colley household, 1830 U.S. census, Christian County, Kentucky, page 7; National Archives micropublication M19, roll 35. Includes 1 male 50-60

Comparison of these two censuses indicates that Jacob Colley was probably aged 50-55 in 1830 and therefore likely born between 1775 and 1780.

¹⁵⁵ Lincoln County Real Estate Conveyances, 1: 266-269.

¹⁵⁶ Memorials, 12: 21.

Spartanburg County, South Carolina, Deed Book F: 441-442.

Margaret M. Hofmann, *Colony of North Carolina, 1765-1775, Abstracts of Land Patents*, 2 volumes (Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina: M.M. Hofmann, 1982-1984), II: 211. "Patent Book 20, #2775, page 625. James McBee, 24 December 1770, 400 acres in Tryon on Plumb tree Branch on (the) S. side of the North fork of Packlet, joining Samuel Young." This is the land later sold by McBee to Andrew Colley.

Pruitt, "Spartanburgh Deeds, Book B," 19. "p. 340-342. Dec. 2, 1779. Abraham Clemons (Broad River, Rutherford Co, NC) to Thomas Jackson (Pacolate River, 96 Dist); for 1,000 pounds 10s SC money sold 150 ac on both sides N fork Pacolate R; where TJ now lives; grant Apr. 25, 1767 Gov. William Tryon (NC) to Samuel Young who sold to Bayles Earle, esq...."

¹⁵⁷ Ramsey, *Carolina Cradle*, 59.

¹⁵⁸ Rumble, *A History of Rowan County, North Carolina*, 118. See also Ramsey, *Carolina Cradle*, 59.

¹⁵⁹ Holcomb, *North Carolina Land Grants in South Carolina*, II: 12, 18, 28.

¹⁶⁰ Rumble, *A History of Rowan County, North Carolina*, 118.

¹⁶¹ Rumble, *A History of Rowan County, North Carolina*, 120.

¹⁶² Rumble, *A History of Rowan County, North Carolina*, 120.

¹⁶³ Lincoln County Real Estate Conveyances, Volume 1: 266-269. "Made the 2nd day of January in the year of Our Lord Christ One thousand seven hundred & sixty eight Between Benjamin Rainy of the County of Mecklenburgh ... Yeoman, ... and Andw. Calley of the county & Province aforesaid ... three hundred and thirty acres ... in the county of Mecklenburg ... on s side of main fishing creek ... near Wm. Hannas line ... James Hanna's line ... James [Young] line ... Alexr. Lewis' corner ... Thomas McMurrays line ..., granted to the said Benjn Rainy by patent bearing date the 25th April 1767 recorded in the Secretaries office Book No. 12 ... Benjamin Rainey (Seal) In presence of Richard Ball, Robert Roberson (R), William Brown"

¹⁶⁴ Wells, *York County, South Carolina, Minutes of the County Court*, 25. "Minute Book A, April Court 1787, Page 83. William Calley & John Young, Exors of Robt Robinson's Will, vs. Capt. William Hannah. P & S. Court gave Judgment that def't is not chargeable as the Plaintiffs complain."

Andrew Colley—Farmer, Fighter, Pioneer, *continued*

¹⁶⁵ Sue Hill Koon, transcriber, *Rutherford County, North Carolina, 1790 U.S. Census and 1782 Tax Lists*, (1974; reprint, Forest City, North Carolina: The Genealogical Society of Old Tryon County, 1980), 1-2.

¹⁶⁶ Koon, *Rutherford County Census and Tax Lists*, introductory map, unnumbered page.

¹⁶⁷ Rutherford County, North Carolina, Record of Deeds, Vol. E: 83-84.

¹⁶⁸ Spartanburg County, North Carolina, Deed Book F: 351-352.

Landrum, *History of Spartanburg County*, 200.

¹⁶⁹ Pruitt, "Spartanburgh Deeds, Book B," 19.

¹⁷⁰ Spartanburg County, South Carolina, Deed Book F: 441-442.

¹⁷¹ Hofmann, *Colony of North Carolina, Abstracts of Land Patents*, 2: 427.

¹⁷² Alma Spires Smith and Jean Smith Owens, compilers, *Patent Land Survey (Index of Land Acquisitions) 1770-1820*,

Located in Greenville County, Laurens County, Newberry County, Spartanburg County, Union County (Parts of the Old Ninety-Six District) (Greenville, South Carolina: A Press, 1978), 131. "Young, James, 500 acres Water of Pacolet River, Spartanburg County"

¹⁷³ Christian County, Kentucky, Deed Book W: 210-211, County Clerk's Office, Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

"This Indenture made this 9th day of January Eighteen hundred and thirty-six Between Young L. Colly of the County of Christian and State of Kentucky of the one part & John D PPool of the County and State aforesaid of the other part ... do by these presents grant bargain sell convey and confirm unto the said John D PPool and his heirs and assigns forever all my right title and interest in the following tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County and State aforesd. which decended[sic] to me from my deceased father Jacob Colly lying on the waters of the Muddy fork of Little river"

Kentuckians at Dudley's Defeat, Part Two, *continued*

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Kentucky Militia (Command unknown):	0	4	0	0
17 th United States Infantry:	0	0	0	2
TOTALS:	183	52	22	34

*Information compiled from *Report of the Adjutant General of the State of Kentucky. Soldiers of the War of 1812 and Known Military Dead During The War of 1812*.

Correction

Due to an editing error, soldier Linsfield Bicknell was identified in part one as having died in British custody. Bicknell, also identified in records as Linfield Becknel (b. about 1785, N.C.) married Mary "Polly" Asbell/Asbill, in Estill County, Ky., on 15 May 1814. During the War of 1812, he initially served as second corporal in Captain Dudley Farris' Company of Infantry, Kentucky Militia (muster in 11 March 1813), but on 17 April 1813, was assigned to Captain Leslie Combs' Company of Spies, where he served until his discharge on 29 September 1813. Bicknell was pensioned on 28 July 1820 for injuries he had sustained "running the gauntlet outside old Fort Miami following "Dudley's Defeat," on May 1813. He died 12 May 1862 in Kissie, Estill County. Polly continued to receive a widow's pension until her death in May 1887.

First Editor of *Kentucky Ancestors* Lived, Loved History, Genealogy

Anne LeGrande Walker Fitzgerald, first editor of *Kentucky Ancestors*, died on Dec. 21, 2005, in Erlanger, Kenton County.

She was born in Hopkinsville on May 1, 1903, a daughter of William Massie and Mary Etta (Bowles) Walker. After earning a teaching certificate in home economics at the present Western Kentucky University and additional course work at Berea College and the present Iowa State University, she became a teacher at Allen County High School.

Joining the faculty at Berea College in 1926, she taught weaving there for 14 years. Among the highlights of her time at Berea were the publication of two books on weaving, display of her work at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and participation in a visit of first lady Eleanor Roosevelt. She earned a bachelor's degree in art at Peabody College for Teachers (now part of Vanderbilt University) in 1939.

After her marriage to William Albert Fitzgerald—whom she had met at Peabody College—on June 15, 1940, the couple moved to Florence. Her husband, a native of Nashville, was a graphic arts instructor at Covington Holmes High School and she began the life of a housewife, in addition to gardening and canning and working part time in a flower shop.

In 1948, Mrs. Fitzgerald began pursuing membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution, which led her to

her first search of genealogical records. “It took me a good year to dig mine up and then it took them another year to go through the papers to prove mine,” she recalled in a 1999 interview.

She began working in the Boone County Clerk's Office in 1950. While working on car registrations and other tasks for the clerk, Mrs. Fitzgerald learned that the county's marriage records—covering the period from 1799 to 1870—had never been indexed. She completed the task herself, then began transcribing the tombstones of Boone County, some of which she found in sidewalks or as portions of building foundations.

Both of the Fitzgeralds were bundles of energy,

constantly working on subjects that interested them in their adopted hometown. William served as city clerk, member of the board of trustees and finally as mayor of Florence (1945-48, 1956-57) and was an organizer of the effort to preserve what became Big Bone Lick State Park, in addition to being an author, historian, and genealogist. Anne helped found the Churchill Weavers and the Boone County Historical Society.

The Fitzgeralds took photographs of the rapidly growing city, whose population was around 800 when they arrived and now is estimated at nearly 24,000. They corresponded with genealogists all over the country and satisfied research requests at their own expense. They organized local records, allowing for



Anne Walker Fitzgerald and her husband William—who posed together at the Newport home of General James Taylor in the 1950s—spent decades working together to preserve the history of northern Kentucky and its families. Much of their collection is now at the Boone County Public Library in Florence.

First Editor of *Kentucky Ancestors*, continued

easier research. Mrs. Fitzgerald preserved information she found in family Bibles, and her home became the repository of several genealogists' collections over the years.

Her efforts later took the form of many publications, including *Boone County, Kentucky, Marriages, 1798-1850*; *Boone County, Kentucky, Cemeteries; Records of the Mount Pleasant Church of Predestinarian Baptists, from organization, Sept. 30, 1840 to 1925: with articles of faith*; and *Marietta Gaines' Memorandum Book*.

By 1963, Mrs. Fitzgerald and her husband were the local authorities on the history of Boone County and its families. Genealogy, she told a local newspaper reporter, is like fishing. "The good fisherman knows right where to hunt for the fish. Likewise with the experienced genealogist, he knows right where to hunt. Like fishing, if you don't know, then it's a hit-or-miss proposition."

While researching family history in Frankfort in the 1960s, Mrs. Fitzgerald was approached by KHS staff member Emma Jane Walker and asked if she would serve as editor of a proposed genealogy quarterly. She accepted, on the condition that her husband—who had recently retired from teaching—would also be involved.

William Fitzgerald was elected first vice president of the KHS and a member of the executive committee at the November 1964 annual meeting. He became president on April 24, 1965, upon the death of president Edward A. Dodd.

The magazine was to be published by the Society's "Genealogy Committee," but its members soon left all the details to the Fitzgeralds. *Kentucky Ancestors* debuted in August 1965 in response to a dramatic rise in public interest in genealogy. "This is a labor of love," Mrs. Fitzgerald wrote on the final page of the inaugural effort. "Its reception by you will determine if there will be another issue."

But submissions were slow, and the couple moved into a room at a Frankfort motel to be near the re-

cords from which the infant publication took form. KHS Director George M. Chinn, however, lent his influence to the project. In the midst of a membership-building drive, Chinn had two copies of *Kentucky Ancestors* sent to each society member.

"People were so interested," Fitzgerald recalled, "the Society decided to continue the journal."

William Fitzgerald resigned his other posts to become director of the KHS library on July 30, 1966, serving until his death on March 6, 1969.

Mrs. Fitzgerald focused *Kentucky Ancestors* on the transcription of primary sources that would aid genealogists, from family Bible notes to court records and items located by researchers. She continued producing the journal from her home in Florence until her retirement in 1983, when she was succeeded by Cheryl Conover.

She never, however, truly retired, remaining in her part-time job at the Boone

County Clerk's Office and aiding genealogists. She did her work so well, it often seemed like magic.

"I went there one day in 1986 with nothing but my grandfather's name," recalled Steve Vest, who was seeking an ancestor that would qualify him to join the Sons of the American Revolution. "By 11:30 in the morning, she had completely traced it," said Vest, now publisher of *Kentucky Monthly* magazine in Frankfort. "I went from knowing nothing to going all the way back to a Revolutionary War ancestor from 9 in the morning to lunch."

"She then went back and filled in with wills, deeds, and other documents," Vest explained. "I was told it would take years to do the necessary research, but I was able to apply for SAR membership in one day and I was in within a week. It was incredible."

By then known affectionately among her coworkers as "Mrs. Fitz," she drove herself to work every day until she was 95, then continued another two years riding with County Clerk Marilyn Rouse until ill health forced her to stop in 2000. "I would pick her up," said Rouse. "She looked forward to it. It meant a lot to her. We were kind of her family."

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Although she completed other tasks in the office, Mrs. Fitzgerald was most at home with the county's historical records. "She was quicker than anybody," said Rouse. "She took those old records as her personal project. They were very special to her. Her mind was so filled with all that information."

After Mrs. Fitzgerald entered a nursing home, her historical and genealogical collection was given to the Boone County Public Library. "We've received boxes and boxes of genealogy for Boone County families, adding to local records and family files," said Bridget B. Striker, the library's local history librarian. "We have almost 1,000 photographs, microfilm, genealogical records, loose correspondence files, bound books, scrapbooks, and original documentation for Big Bone Lick State Park.

"We receive calls from all over the country and her collection is the starting point for any research," Striker explained. "Her cross-referenced marriage licenses and bonds are invaluable."

Striker said the Fitzgeralds' work has benefited the library and the surrounding community in numerous other ways. "Her photograph collection is priceless," she said, noting that it is constantly used by researchers and its images have been included in two

recent books about the area.

"Not only did they transcribe stones in the cemeteries, they photographed many of them," Striker said. "They documented the I-75 ramp construction, the opening of a big store in the community, took a photo of the first customer in the new building of the Florence Deposit Bank. We have photographs of churches and other buildings that are no longer standing."

Striker said the collection is the basis of Boone County's digital image archive and serves as the inspiration to additions to it.

But many of those she helped and worked with over the years, simply remember Anne Walker Fitzgerald as a woman who cared about her community and whose legacy will be felt well beyond her time.

"She was a delight—and she certainly is missed," said Rouse. "There probably never will be another person in my lifetime as unique and as witty as she was."

"Without Mrs. Fitzgerald's work, Boone County residents would not have access to much of their history," added Striker. "She made such a tremendous impact."

—Thomas E. Stephens

QUERIES

Questions about Kentucky families submitted by Society members

Woodward

When and where did Chesley Woodward die? He was in the Clark County census of 1800 and married Mary _____. Chesley and Mary are said to have had issue: Michael (b. about 1763, Bedford County, Va., d. after 1814 Bullitt County tax list, m. Mary Steele, 1789, Nelson County), John, Polly, Chesley, Bartlett, Silas, Samuel, Julius, Thomas, Mildred, and Joseph.

Mrs. Norman Terando, 9431 Pinecreek Drive, Indianapolis, Ind., 46256

Zinn, Lucas, Sturgeon

Looking for information and connections of Joseph and Nancy (Taylor) Zinn, who moved from Pennsylvania to Grant County in 1796; John and Elizabeth (Kiser) Zinn; Harriet N. Zinn; and Tudor Lucas. Also

seeking information on Issac H. Sturgeon (b. 1821, Jefferson County, d. 1908, St. Louis, MO).

Kathy Brown, P.O. Box 1204,

Lake Ozark, MO 65049

E-mail: kathybrn@charter.net

Jeffries

Looking to share information with any Jeffries descendants whose ancestors had the following given names: Anderson, Asa, Elias, Elisha, and Ewell. These families were in Essex, Fauquier, James City, and Lunenburg counties, Va.; Hardin and Washington counties, Ky.; Harrison, Henry, and Washington counties, Ind.; and Fairfield County, Ohio.

*Steven R. Jeffries, 4800 Erie Street,
College Park, MD 20740*

MYSTERY ALBUM

This image, recently donated to the society by Lucy Chapman, is of a group of students posing at Georgetown College's Rucker Hall during the 1904-5 academic year. The names of those pictured are written on the back of the original, but not identified in order. They appear below. The woman below the added arrow is thought to have been Lucy Ferguson Coons, original owner of the photo.

Lucy F. Coons
Christine Carnathan
Mary Duiquid
Clara Collier
Mattie Petty
Ione Fitzpatrick
Blanche Williams
Nellie Sharp
Lucille Huffman
_____ Royalty
Mattie Burgess, Cov.
Beulah Dehaven
Josephine Wood, Danville
Nella Hall
Lottie Mitchell, Lex.
Carrie Aulick
Susie Coakley

Corrine Conrad
Anna Cleek
Ruby Fogle, Georgetown
Harriett Ausmus
May Stafford
Gertrude Kelly
Hannah Allan, Shelbyville
Nattie May Settles, Danville
Jean Craig
Jonnette Revelle
Maud Settles, Danville
Mayme Price, Lexington
Anna Mae Cannon, Mayfield
Artie Hill, Leitchfield
LaVanche Turk, Bardwell
Ella Hedgecock, Brooksville
Lida Bell Reynolds, “

Anna White, Cadiz
Frances Bradberry
Lorena Bolick, Arkansas
Lida Marr, Carlisle
Mary King, Corydon
Clara Hill, Stamping Ground
May Whitehurst, Norfolk
Iva Beard, Shelbyville
Fay Kone, Lynchburg, Va.
Callie Taylor, St. Louis
Polly Deane, Owensboro
Mary Wrather, Irvington
Martha Baker, Nicholasville
Pansy Paris, Louisville
Stella Weddle, Somerset
Ella Robertson, Frankfort?
Lucy Ferguson Coons, Lex.



If you recognize those pictured or can provide any more information about them, please contact Kentucky Ancestors at 100 W. Broadway, Frankfort, KY 40601-1931, or call, toll-free, 1-877-4HISTORY (1-877-444-7867), or e-mail: Tom.Stephens@ky.gov.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Family History Workshops

For the first time, the Kentucky Historical Society is sponsoring a regular monthly schedule of free genealogy programming. In partnership with the Kentucky Genealogical Society, these family history workshops are held on the second Saturday of each month and contain much useful information for novice and seasoned researchers alike.

Each workshop will conform to the following schedule:

10:30-11:30 a.m.—KGS program

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.—Light lunch, courtesy of the Kentucky Historical Society, for those wishing to attend the afternoon program. 12:30-1:30 p.m.—KHS program

1:30-4 p.m.—Enjoy time for research on your own in the Kentucky Historical Society's Martin F. Schmidt Library

The workshops are free, but registration is required; contact Beth Shields at 1-877-444-7867 or by email at beth.shields@ky.gov.

2006 Schedule

March 11

KGS program: "Genealogical Holdings at Kentucky Public Libraries"

Staff members from the Commonwealth's public libraries will give overviews of each of their institution's genealogical resources of interest to researchers, including highlights of unique collections at each facility.

KHS program: "Genealogy Basics"

How to begin researching your family tree using resources available at the KHS.

April 8

KGS program: "Early Kentucky Divorce Records"

Prior to 1850, divorce in Kentucky required approval of the state legislature. Learn how divorce requirements changed for Kentuckians through the years, and how the information in these early records can help explain the sometimes-mysterious dynamics of family relationships.

KHS program: "Women's Roles and Rights in Early Kentucky"

Find out how the legal, social, and economic status of women evolved in Kentucky through the years, and how studying these changes can provide a clearer understanding of your female ancestor's lives.

May 13

KGS program: "The Draper Manuscripts"

Comprising hundreds of volumes, recorded on over one hundred rolls of microfilm in 50 series, this record of interviews with early settlers and pioneers may seem overwhelming to researchers. However, using the proper tools and resources, crucial information can be gleaned from these documents that is available nowhere else. Get expert advice on how to begin "eating the whale."

KHS program: "Researching and Preserving Manuscripts and Documents"

Get advice about the wealth of information that can be gleaned from manuscripts, letters, and other original writings. A KHS archivist will discuss how to utilize manuscript collections for genealogical research, as well as how best to handle and protect your own original family documents for posterity.

June 10

KGS program: "Family Medical History"

Explore the facts surrounding how your ancestors' medical histories impact your life today and your descendants' lives in the future. By researching and documenting your family tree and medical history, you build a valuable tool with the potential to improve not only your own health, but also the quality of life for countless generations to come. A representative of the Markey Cancer Center's Clinical Genetic Counseling Program will explain the tools you can use to help determine your risk for a variety of "inherited" health problems, as well as ways those risks can be minimized. This information could be one of the most valuable gifts you will ever give to your children and your grandchildren.

Announcements, *continued*

KHS program: “Vital Statistics Research”

Kentucky's vital statistics records prior to 1911 are scant at best, and in most cases they simply do not exist. Find out what official records are available, and how they can aid your genealogical research. Also learn what resources can substitute for official vital statistics data in your research.

July 8

Documenting SAR/DAR Lineage

August 12

Genealogy Basics (No KGS program) and introductory genealogy activities

September 9

Newspaper Resources

October 14:

Genealogical Publishing

November 11

Military Records

December 9

Genealogy Basics (No KGS program) and introductory genealogy activities

Carolina (and Maryland) in my Mind

The Kentucky Genealogical Society's 32nd Annual Seminar will be held on Saturday, Aug. 5, 2006 at the Thomas D. Clark Center for Kentucky History in Frankfort. The speaker will be nationally recognized genealogist Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck, who will give a presentation on genealogical research in North Carolina and Maryland.

The event will also feature a book fair and silent auction of genealogical books. For more information—or to donate used books for the silent auction—contact Tom Stephens at 1-877-444-7867 or via e-mail at tom.stephens@ky.gov.

KHS Offers Family History Research Fellowships

The Kentucky Historical Society (KHS) has an-

nounced its 2006 research fellowship program to encourage and promote research on Kentucky history and culture.

All fellowships will fund research at KHS, primarily in the special collections and library collections. All fellowships also include a one-year KHS membership.

Applications are due at KHS by April 30, 2006, with grantees to be notified by May 16. Applications will be judged on the merits of the proposed research and the extent to which the judges believe that research can be advanced through use of collections at KHS.

Fellowships available are: One out-of-state travel fellowship of \$750 for research at KHS during 2006; Three family history fellowships of \$250 each for research at KHS during 2006. Both in-state and out-of-state residents are eligible. Applications are available for download: <http://history.ky.gov/Research/Fellowships.htm>

For more information, please contact: Dr. Doug Boyd at (502) 564-1792 or via e-mail at doug.boyd@ky.gov.

KHS reserves the right not to award certain fellowships should extenuating circumstances arise. Because of state regulations, Kentucky state employees are not eligible for these fellowships. (Kentucky public-school teachers and state university employees are eligible, however).

[Note: Genealogists doing paid contract research are not eligible for these fellowships. Last year's Family History fellowship recipients are not available for this year's Family History Research Fellowships.]

Correction

The article “First Presbyterian Church, Eminence, 1877-1925,” which appeared in Volume 40, Number 3, mistakenly included the word “Methodist” in the title. The article was taken from “A History of The First Presbyterian Church of Eminence, Kentucky, 1877-1997,” by Annabelle G. Wilson and Bettyann N. Keiser. The book can be purchased for \$15 from the Presbyterian Church Clothes Closet, c/o Mrs. J.T. Prewitt, Box 436, New Castle, KY 40019. We regret the error.

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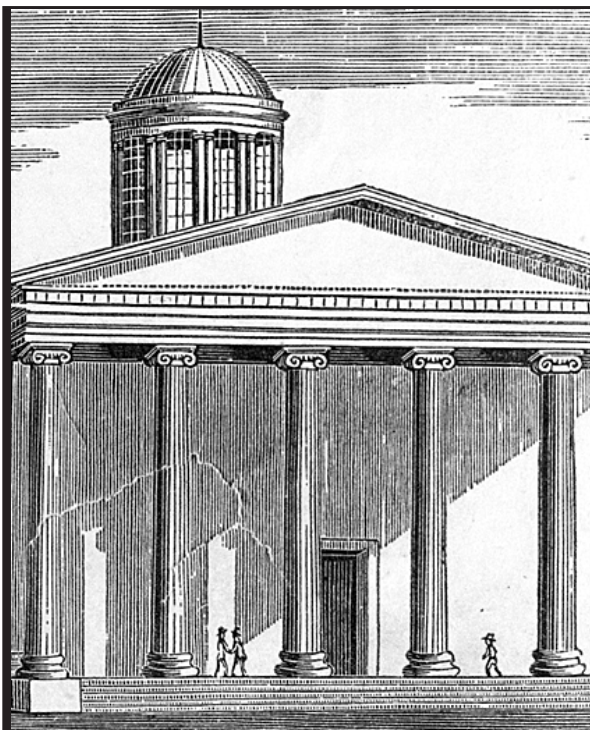
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